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Ledbetter Bridge Back to normal

A contractor for the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has completed deck repairs on the U.S. 60 Tennessee River Bridge at Ledbetter. A lane restriction on the bridge required to facilitate the work was lifted early this week and traffic is back to two lanes. As a reminder, there is a three-ton load limit and a 35 mph speed limit on the bridge, which is being strictly enforced. A new bridge is being built just upstream and should be ready by May.

BY THE NUMBERS

How Salaries Have Changed

Below are United State's average individual incomes from past years:

Year	Salary	1981	13,773.10
1951	2,799.16	1982	14,531.34
1952	2,973.32	1983	15,239.24
1953	3,139.44	1984	16,135.07
1954	3,155.64	1985	16,822.51
1955	3,301.44	1986	17,321.82
1956	3,532.36	1987	18,426.51
1957	3,641.72	1988	19,334.04
1958	3,673.80	1989	20,099.55
1959	3,855.80	1990	21,027.98
1960	4,007.12	1991	21,811.60
1961	4,086.76	1992	22,935.42
1962	4,291.40	1993	23,132.67
1963	4,396.64	1994	23,753.53
1964	4,576.32	1995	24,705.66
1965	4,658.72	1996	25,913.90
1966	4,938.36	1997	27,426.00
1967	5,213.44	1998	28,861.44
1968	5,571.76	1999	30,469.84
1969	5,893.76	2000	32,154.82
1970	6,186.24	2001	32,921.92
1971	6,497.08	2002	33,252.09
1972	7,133.80	2003	34,064.95
1973	7,580.16	2004	35,648.55
1974	8,030.76	2005	36,952.94
1975	8,630.92	2006	38,651.41
1976	9,226.48	2007	40,405.48
1977	9,779.44	2008	41,334.97
1978	10,556.03	2009	40,711.61
1979	11,479.46	2010	41,673.83
1980	12,513.46	2011	42,979.61

Meetings & More

✓ Crittenden County Board of Education meets in regular session at 6 p.m., Tuesday at Rocket Arena.

✓ Turkey Knob Road in the Amish community off Fords Ferry Road remains closed while the Crooked Creek Bridge is being replaced.

✓ Anyone wishing to contribute food or money to the Community Christmas food drive should deliver it to Marion Baptist Church between 9 a.m., and 3 p.m., weekdays. Monetary contributions can be mailed to the church at P.O. Box 384. Food will be distributed Dec. 14 to families registered for Community Christmas.

✓ Reminder: City of Marion is asking residents to voluntarily conserve water due to effects the drought has had on its raw water supply, Lake George.

ON THE WEB Press Online Poll

This week's Web poll at The Press Online asked readers to answer the following question: **"Do you think Santa will provide you with a bigger Christmas this year?"**

Here is what 277 respondents said:

Yes 34 (14%)
Not sure 16 (7%)
No 177 (77%)

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Duke studies Lola's wind



Duke Energy erected this tower on Barry Chittenden's farm near Hampton. It is designed to test the wind to determine whether there's enough to justify a wind farm in the area.

BY CHRIS EVANS
PRESS EDITOR

Generations of Chittendens have farmed the rolling hills between Lola and Hampton in Livingston County. Mostly cattle and row crops grace their sprawling 4,000 acres, but the ranch may soon be home to a new, highly-conspicuous creature.

Duke Energy has agreed to terms of lease agreements with a handful of large landowners in northern Livingston County. If a wind study there finds ample breeze, the power company may erect about 75 to 100 windmills, say landowners.

Harvesting Mother Nature's breath is a different kind of farming for these landowners near Lola, Hampton and Joy. Most have spent their entire lives on the bluffs above the Ohio River, and Barry Chittenden sees no reason to look at wind harnessing any differently.

"People are able to graze cattle and row crop right up next to these things," he said.

A test tower was raised on his farm near Hampton off Airline Road a couple of weeks ago.

"They put it up in one day," Chittenden said.

He points to tiny propellers jutting upward from arms that protrude from the tall, thin tower.



The above photograph was taken from the Center for Environment, Commerce & Energy web site. It depicts a typical wind farm.

"You can see that the ones higher on the tower are spinning faster," he said. "There's more wind up there."

Chittenden said a nice breeze almost always blows on the hill above his home where the testing is being done. His son lives just under the other ridge.

The test tower is sampling wind and sending the information wirelessly to Duke Energy. The tower is 180 feet tall.

"If they put in windmills, the top of them will be twice as high as this tower," Chittenden said.

Blades on the modern-day windmills are about 200 feet long. They spin in the breeze

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Siemens buys Invensys Rail; no one here knew about deal

STAFF REPORT

Everyone in Marion was caught by surprise when it was announced last week that the German company Siemens had bought the Invensys Rail division, which has a plant here.

British engineering group Invensys sold its rail business to Siemens for \$2.8 billion. Invensys reportedly sold the division in order to return cash to shareholders and reduce its pension deficit.

Ironically, Siemens has been in the news lately for cutting health insurance benefits for its retirees, several of whom live in the area and worked at the Siemens Electro-mechanical Components division that was here during the 1990s.

Siemens is Germany's most valuable company. The global manufacturer makes products ranging

SIEMENS

Siemens is a global engineering and electronics conglomerate company headquartered in Munich, Germany. It is the largest Europe-based electronics and electrical engineering company.

from fast trains and gas turbines to hearing aids. According to a report last week by the news service Reuters, Siemens has come under pressure to cut costs and focus on its most profitable businesses to close a gap with rival companies. Some international critics said Siemens paid a premium price for the rail division.

Martin Prozesky, an analyst at

Sanford C. Bernstein in London told Bloomberg news, "Siemens is paying close to the total market capitalization of Invensys... for only part of the business. The price paid is very high, it looks to me like Siemens, again, overpaid."

Closer to home, local leaders and Invensys employees admit they were caught off guard. No one here was aware of the looming sale.

John Newcom, the local businessman who leases Invensys its manufacturing facility here, says he's not concerned about the change. Siemens is not new to Marion, Newcom said. He remembers when it owned the former Potter and Brumfield company and later sold it to Tyco. Tyco closed the plant 11 years ago, just three

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Walker leading Salem's parade

STAFF REPORT

Eugene Walker has driven many trucks in his 86 years of life. That's what he did in 1946 while stationed at Camp McCoy, Wisc., at the end of World War II.

Instead of driving Saturday evening through Salem, he will be riding up front as grand marshal of Salem's Lighted Christmas Parade.

With a "Patriotic Christmas" theme the city chose a veteran to lead its annual parade, which starts at 5:30 p.m.

Walker is well known as the "water man." He has delivered water for the past 28 years in Caldwell, Crittenden, Livingston and Lyon counties to residential and commercial customers.

Past and present military members are encouraged to wear their uniforms to the parade to help create a patriotic atmosphere. Everyone else can bring a flag.

The 101st Airborne Marching Band from Fort Campbell and the ROTC Guard Band from Paducah will be featured in the parade.



The "water man" Eugene Walker pictured above with his delivery truck and at Camp McCoy during his military years.



Historic Marion home commonly known as the Hayward House.

Former hospital is sold

Group says original mission is achieved

STAFF REPORT

An historic landmark has a new owner, who plans to make it a home once again.

The former hospital on North Walker Street, formerly known as the Hayward mansion, has been sold by a non-profit group to Marion resident Ric Carder.

The home, built in 1904 by E.J. Hayward, a prominent Marion businessman, was at different times Marion Hospital and Marion High School.

Linda Schumann, president of Crittenden County Tomorrow, Inc., said the real estate transaction was closed last week. The historic home sold for its assessed taxable value of \$18,000.

Schumann said Carder had done the original contract work to stabilize the property after the non-profit group purchased it for a nominal sum from the previous owner, Robert Roberts, in April 2003. At the time, it was in very ill repair. Schumann said the property had in fact been condemned and was almost to the point of being demolished.

Since Crittenden County Tomorrow (CCT) bought the place – which sits across from historic Fohs Hall – Carder has continued to make improvements to the aged three-story structure. CCT originally raised \$46,000 to begin renovation of the former public building and private home, but spent all of that and more.

Schumann said Carder had done work to the building in recent years, for which the organization could not pay.

"We tried to get grants, but they just were not available," Schumann said.

Carder actually had a lien against the property because of the work he'd done, Schumann explained. Schumann said those debts were taken care of when the building sold to Carder last week.

Crittenden County Tomorrow banked the remaining proceeds from the sale of the property and Schumann says it is willing to consider using the money on any other worthwhile community project.

CCT was incorporated by Schumann and others in March 2003 for the expressed purpose of raising money for charitable, educational, benevolent or civic activities to improve the quality of life for Crittenden County citizens.

Schumann said the non-profit group is pleased that its original mission to save the historic home has been met even though it will be privately owned. She said Carder plans to continue making improvements to it.

The Hayward family lived in the home from 1904 until 1915 when they sold it and moved away. In 1921 the Marion Board of Education bought the home and turned it into the city high school, which it remained until 1938.

From 1943 to 1972, it was the community's first hospital.

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Mighty empires expire, Jesus doesn't

The vast empires of the past, Tower of Babel, Nebuchadnezzar, Medo-Persian, Alexander The Great (Greek), Greek, Roman, Roman Church, Ottoman (Muslim), British, Soviet Union, The Third Reich (Birthplace of the Reformation), Tojo (Japan), have all been one-worlders, each wanting it under their control.

With the exception of Japan and the radical Muslims, all the one-worlders since Karl Marx's Communist Manifesto of 1845, be they foreign or home grown, have been of socialist and communist persuasion, and accepting Charles Darwin's work of 1853 that man is only an evolved animal. They not only felt licensed to act like one, but to also treat their fellow man like one.

America is doing it in the killing mills called abortion clinics.

What is so insidious is that many of the home-grown have and do masquerade as Christians.

Maybe some of them are only dupes, but all are allied with Satan, as are the militant Muslims who want to destroy Christianity and America.

Taking into account all the

Rev. Lucy Tedrick

Crittenden Press guest columnist



Religious Views

pillage, raping, invasions and brutal slaughtering of all the world history up to the 20th century, the 20th century far exceeds them all.

Both Marx and Darwin were used of Satan in the late 19th century to start the Bolshevik revolution of the early 20th century which gave us Ingels, Lenin, Stalin, Hitler, Castro, North Korea, Mao and all the socialist butchers and one-worlders since then.

So we see Karl Marx and Charles Darwin still inspire from the grave.

It is hard for people of good hearts to believe that for almost 100 years there have been, and are, Americans working in deceptive garbs to drag us into a socialist, communist, one-world government under the guise of far

left and progressive blessings for all us willing idiots.

Satan and all his cohorts hate the America that we've known since the Pilgrims, only because we've been known to harbor more Christians than any nation on earth and have been more effective in spreading its message and loving sacrifice than all other nations in history.

The difference between these and all the other dictators is they want all in a one-world order ruled by several whom they choose as superior to the rest of us.

The communists worked in Egypt to put it in Muslim rule. They are working here to put more Muslims in our government and in powerful places.

What they aren't counting

on is this: The Muslims do not plan on sharing their one-world rule. They are sitting back and waiting until all the atheists and socialist communists get rid of loving, serving Christians and then they will take over.

Radical Muslims will then give them the option to accept their religion or die. The atheists who hate religion will have gotten rid of all the loving, serving Christians so there won't be anyone left who loves them enough to die for them. Therefore, they will swallow a religion or die. Talk about poetic justice!

Satan hates Jesus so he and his soldiers will fight God's people until the end. All of his men will experience far more hell than they have put God's people through because their hell is for all eternity. Our hell on earth will one day be over forever.

Satan has a short time so he is working hard and fast. Up until now God has not let any one of the aforementioned aspirants rule all His world for very long. All who have been blinded enough to let Satan make them think they could have met an afore-ordained tragic end.

As Jesus said: "The world passes away but My Word endures forever."

Rev. Tedrick is a Marion minister. She shares her views weekly in this newspaper. Her opinions are her own, and are not necessarily those of the newspaper.

Returning the favor to my friend Frank


Being a foreigner, I have a unique perspective on folks within this community. No prejudices exist when it comes to my judgement on people who live in this wonderful little town because I didn't grow up here and become bias in any way. So, you will certainly believe me when I say that Frank Blackburn was one of the most sincere, kind and caring men to ever grace Marion.

Blackburn passed away a few days ago after a lengthy battle with cancer. Ironically, cancer is a disease that he fought well before his personal diagnosis. Blackburn was from the beginning a huge supporter and leader of the annual Relay for Life events in Crittenden County. This year's event was dedicated to him. Through his efforts alone, countless thousands of dollars were raised for the American Cancer Society. His endeavors to raise money to find the cause and cure for cancer began way before it afflicted his body.

Frank's passing got me to wondering whether this dreaded cancer can afflict a person's soul like it

Chris Evans

Crittenden Press editor and publisher



About Town

It's a passage in the Bible that has always perplexed me. I can only imagine the author of that particular gospel intended it mean that greedy people have a tough time getting into the Kingdom.

Well, there wasn't a greedy bone in our buddy Frank's body. I know for certain he gave and gave and gave to people in need. He lived the life of a humble servant devoted to his God, his church, his family and his community.

I recall when Blackburn ran for public office. He sought the position of county judge-executive. Numerous times, I heard people say, "Frank's just too nice of a man to be involved in politics." Now, I don't mean to disparage anyone in politics, but it was something worth repeating and let it stand on its own merit.

People will tell you that Frank could sit around the coffee shop tables in town and argue politics and religion with the best. Unlike many others, however, he was still your friend no matter which side of the isle or which pew you favored.

He gave of his time and financial

resources in many, many ways and to many worthy causes. As a funeral director for many years, Blackburn consoled the grieving and counseled families on how to move forward through the death of a loved one. It takes a special brand of man to handle those delicate circumstances with grace and wisdom.

I recall when my wife's mother passed away in 2000. About the first thing she asked for was Frank. It was a Sunday morning and I know Frank was heading to church, but he came by anyway and helped my wife's family begin to understand what lie ahead.

There is no doubt he was the first counsel sought by grieving families time and time over. And in this time of grieving by his own family, let us all return the favor.

Evans is the publisher and editor of The Crittenden Press. He is also author of the book, "South of the Mouth of Sandy," which is available from online bookstores. His column appears periodically.

WIND

Continued from page 1 about 100 feet above the ground.

Jack Ramsey, a field representative for Duke Energy's wind exploration division based in Texas, says it's too early to know if this particular site will be developed. He said Duke is running tests on a number of sites nationwide. He wouldn't say if this is the only location in Kentucky where Duke has shown interest, but Ramsey did say other companies are indeed exploring wind options in Kentucky.

Don Workman, another nearby farmer who owns ground Duke wants to lease, said the company seeks about 10,000 to 12,000 acres initially.

"I think it's a great idea myself," Workman said.

Brent Ferrell is the county magistrate for the area and also among the landowners Duke has contacted about leasing. He said if the company decides to build wind turbines here it's likely there would be one windmill to every 75 to 80 acres. About 75 to 100 mills might be erected between Lola and Hampton, he said.

"I'm excited about it," Ferrell said. "It's in the very early stages and this thing could unravel at anytime. But if it does hit, this will be a big project that could add a lot to the north end of Livingston County."

Ferrell said an increased tax base, temporary construction jobs and a few permanent jobs could be expected if Duke finds enough wind on the bluffs to install their turbines. Of course the landowners



so I called everyone I know and asked them to pray that the wind don't blow. That's the only thing I know to do about it," she said.

Chittenden said wind turbines generate electricity, which is sent through an underground cable system to a substation, which would be built in a location central to the mills. From there power would be delivered across an overhead power line, which would have to be constructed, too, perhaps tying into the Big Rivers transmission lines near Birdsville.

No time line was given for the test period.

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Students achieve college, career readiness status

BY JASON TRAVIS
PRESS REPORTER

With the first half of the school year almost complete, 25 percent of Crittenden County seniors are considered College Ready.

School officials said the goal is to not only prepare students for a college education but to also change thinking patterns regarding a post-secondary education.

Preparing for college

School districts across the Commonwealth are now studying first year testing results from the 2012 Kentucky's Unbridled Learning Accountability System. One component of the new system is College Readiness.

The Kentucky Department of Education says high school seniors are College Ready if they have met the benchmarks on ACT, COMPASS or KYOTE tests.

Currently students take either the ACT or COMPASS test. Crittenden County High School Principal Rhonda Callaway said the biggest difference between the two exams is that the ACT is a timed test and the COMPASS is not. Callaway said the COMPASS is still a very rigorous and challenging test.

"In the past the state of Kentucky did not recognize as part of our accountability how the kids did on the ACT. Now, it is recognized not only

for College Ready status, but also is used to determine the Growth measure. Kentucky looks at how students perform on the PLAN test they take as sophomores and then again on the ACT since both tests are predictors for how students will do in college in English, math and science," Callaway said.

School officials have coded which students have met the benchmark on the ACT. Students who didn't meet the benchmark are then scheduled to take the COMPASS test. Callaway said the Kentucky Department of Education requires high schools to give the COMPASS test to seniors twice throughout the school year on campus if they did not meet benchmark in English, reading or math.

"We have a lot of situations where they met the benchmark in reading and English so we provide interventions for them in math," she said.

Students are pulled from elective classes a few days each week to work with a Response to Intervention (RtI) teacher on areas of study that need improvement.

"We don't want to have to pull them out of anything. But our whole staff has been very flexible. The best part about all of this is now it's all about the kids. With the old

accountability, you didn't get any feedback until the next year," Callaway said.

Leah Harness is a RtI teacher who works with students in needed areas of study. She said the goal is to make sure the students are prepared to take the tests.

"We've already had our first COMPASS test. It was exciting because we had a lot of kids move into the College Ready status," Harness said. "Before the COMPASS test day, we have them come in and do a practice test with us. If they don't pass the practice they don't take the COMPASS this time around."

Breaking Barriers

"Students say I can't go to college because I don't have any money. We sit down and work with them and fill out forms. We help them change their mindset that there are no barriers. If they really want to go, there's always a way. No matter what," Callaway said.

As a result, Callaway said the school has seen an increase in students applying for college and being accepted.

Students are classified as College Ready, Career Ready or College and Career Ready. Career Ready students are Career Technical Educational (CTE) students that

are enrolled in CTE classes at the high school, such as agriculture, business and technology classes or are enrolled at the vocational school in Princeton.

Career Ready has two components, academic and technical. Students classified as Career Ready Academic must meet benchmarks in the ASVAB (military readiness assessment) or WorkKeys (math and reading assessment) exams if they don't perform well on the ACT, COMPASS or KYOTE tests.

Students classified as Career Ready Technical are eligible to take the Kentucky Occupational Skill Standards Assessment (KOSSA) or can achieve an assessment of skills to earn an Industry Certificate.

Students are classified as both College and Career Ready if they meet benchmarks on the ACT, COMPASS or KYOTE tests and obtain a KOSSA or Industry Certificate. Currently out of the 73 seniors at CCHS, 33 percent have achieved a College/Career Readiness status.

"We started the year at 23 percent and we are pleased at how hard our kids are working. The importance of meeting benchmark on the ACT or COMPASS is stressed so our kids do not have to



Under the new system, students can be classified as College Ready, Career Ready or College and Career Ready. Above, Tanner Collins, a CCHS junior, works on a project in Larry Duval's welding class.

pay for remedial courses in math and English in college that they don't receive credit for but yet still have to pay for the course or courses," Callaway said.



Dressed in a costume for a group performance, sophomore Kayla Davis reads to third grader Jalynn Hackney (left), Ciara Hackney, age one, and first grader Mia Hackney.

Literacy program held at high school

STAFF REPORT

Unite to Read, a statewide literacy program that was implemented in 2004, was held Nov. 29 at the Crittenden County High School.

The program is organized by members of the high school's career and technical student organizations. Those organizations include FFA, FCCLA, FBLA and FEA.

The program's goal is to promote literacy and encourage lifelong reading to students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

Amy Hardin teaches business and is the FBLA advisor at the high school. She said the high school has participated in the program since its inception.

"It's been a huge project for us. We want to encourage younger kids to read and encourage our high school students to take responsibility and organize and be part of planning a large event. It allows them to showcase their leadership skills," Hardin said.

High school students par-

ticipate in a variety of activities, including a short play wearing costumes. Their goal was to show younger children that reading is fun.

Amy Adams, Family and Consumer Sciences teacher at the high school, encourages parents to read with their children at home. Every child who attended the program received a book to take home.

"It's all about literacy and showing kids that reading is fun," Adams said.

Community Christmas sponsors needed as deadline approaches for distribution

STAFF REPORT

With distribution day scheduled for Dec. 14 at the Carson G. Davidson Armory, Community Christmas organizers encourage support in sponsoring a child for Christmas.

Forty children between the ages of infant to 12 years still need sponsorship. Organizers say several angel tags are from homes where there is only one child in the family.

Community Christmas organizer Nancy Hunt said if someone only wants to sponsor one child there are several angel tags remaining on the Farmers Bank tree. They also have angel tags remaining for families with two and three children.

Hunt said the angel tree at the Extension Office still has angel tags for four large families in need of sponsorship.

"We hope that a church or a business will take these. The number of children in these families ranges from three to seven," Hunt said.

The Extension Office also has angel tags for families with one or two children.

Once a sponsor takes an angel tag from the tree, organizers remind individuals to fill out the bottom of the tag and place it in the tag collection box.

"This allows us to know who to call in case someone forgets to bring their sponsor gifts to the armory on Dec. 13 between 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. We know five tags taken from the Farmers Bank tree are unaccounted for," she said. "When this happens we hope the sponsors will remember to bring the items on Dec. 13. If they don't, we have to make a decision after 4 p.m., on how to handle the situation."

Hunt said in previous years organizers have gone shopping the night before distribution to make sure each child received a gift.

As of noon on Monday, organizers had received \$5,094.87 in cash donations. Their goal is to receive \$10,865, which will enable them to provide the same amount of assistance as last year. Money can be deposited at Farmers Bank, mailed or dropped off at the County Extension Office.



Becky Zahrt, Staff Support, looks at the remaining tags for sponsorship at the Extension Office.

Organizers have also been contacting local businesses this week to see if they want to participate in the teen voucher program.

Anyone who hasn't been contacted and would like to participate should contact the County Extension Office at 965-5236 for further information.

BLUEGRASS

Realty & Auction

FORDS FERRY - This is a must see 4 bdr, 2 1/2 bath, central heat & air, city water & sewer. Nice 3 car garage all sitting on 2 +/- acres. **jb**

KY 91 NORTH - 2 bdr, 1 1/2 bath brick home w/ fireplace, lots of kitchen cabinets, finished basement w/ kitchen, all appliances stay. Elec. or wood heat, central air & 30x60 workshop w/ concrete floor. 2 metal carports all on 2 1/2 acres. \$69,500.00. **ra**

HOME WITH POOL - 3 bdr brick home w/ dining rm, lots of kitchen cabinets, elec. heat, central air, 2 car garage, storage bldg, inground pool located on Hwy. 60 west. \$83,500. **rw**

COUNTRY DRIVE - 3 or 4 bdr brick home w/ family rm, utility rm, den, 1 car garage, fenced back yard, lots of shade trees. Priced for quick sale. \$79,000.00. **hd**

MYERS BED & BREAKFAST - 4 bdr, 3 bath, liv. rm, din. rm, large kitchen, storage rm, basement & large back porch in the main house. Two 2 bdr apartments, storage rm and a lg porch with the cottage home. Beautiful hardwood floors & other woodwork in the main house. Some appliances & furniture stay. Only \$165,000.00. **jm**

INCOME PROPERTY - 3 apt bldg. There are 3 1 bdr, 1 bath apt. 2 presently rented & owner living in the other storage rm & approx. 4 acres. Great investment. \$59,500.00. **dt**

COUNTY LINE - Located on the Union/Crittenden line off Hwy. 60, 3 bdr, 2 bath double lot, 1/2 acre, a nice 24x24 garage. Nice quiet area. \$42,000.00. **bb**

COUNTRY SETTING - Nice 2 or 3 bdr brick home w/ lots of kitchen cabinets. Utility rm has several cabinets. All appliances stay. Central heat & air, back deck, storage bld & carport. Also 1.38 +/- acres. Priced to sell. **lm**

GREAT HOME, GREAT LOCATION - 2 bdr, 1 1/2 baths, nice kitchen, dining rm, family rm. This home is move in ready & sits on a nice big lot w/storage bldg. \$58,000.00 **js**

EVERYTHING YOU COULD WANT - This home has 4 bdr, 2 full baths, full walkout basement, 2 ponds for swimming or fishing, a 12x16 storage bldg & 22x44 workshop; a beautiful kitchen w/ new cabinets, new roof and new updates. This property is one of a kind, absolutely beautiful. This could be your dream home. Wait there's more... all sitting on 10+/- acres. Reduced to \$172,500.00. **rm**

IF IN THE COUNTRY IS WHERE YOU WANT TO BE, THIS IS IT - Very nice 3-5 bdr on 5+/- acres, appliances stay. This home has 2 offices that could be used as bedrooms with an outside entrance. There are 2 full baths, beautiful shaded drive, nice size yard with no other houses in sight. Nice size pond fully stocked & a place to enjoy the wildlife or have a family picnic. **smw**

BEAUTIFUL VIEW - A must see that sits high in a wooded setting. 3 bdr, 2 full baths, lg dining rm & lg living rm. Lots of beautiful kitchen cabinets and new appliances & also a lg screened in back porch & BBQ area. 2 car attached garage. \$149,000.00 **dc**

CHERRY STREET - Cute 3 bdr, 1 bath home, utility rm, storage bldg & double lot. Good starter home or investment property. \$30,000.00 **gt**

GREAT NEIGHBORHOOD - This brick home has a lg living rm, dining rm, den w/ fireplace, lg utility rm, storage rm & full basement. Central heat & air, carport and large outbuildings. Great location on Sturgis Rd. **PRICE REDUCED TO \$114,000.00. ww**

BEAUTIFUL LOCATION - Located on St. Rt. 506. Beautiful brick home w/ 2 full baths, custom made kitchen cabinets, utility rm, 2 car garage, central heat & air. Also a 30x60 bldg w/ garages, storage room & 3 open bays & nice dog kennel. All on 8 +/- fenced acres. **mr**

WALKER STREET - 3 bdr, 1 bath, nice size laundry rm, back deck, large yard. \$42,000.00 **MAKE OFFER!** **rd**

POPLAR STREET - This home is located in town, walking distance to banks, court house & restaurants. 4 bdr 1 1/2 baths, laundry rm & paved drive. Lots of shade trees on this nice big lot. Home is move in ready. \$59,000.00 **sp**

MAIN STREET - 3 bdr, 2 bath w/nice big rooms, city water & sewer. This home is a piece of history, motivated seller. Make an offer. \$81,000.00. **dm**

PERFECT LOCATION - 2 bdr, 1 bath, large kitchen w/ lots of cabinets, dining rm & laundry rm. Nice storage bldg, 2 car garage on 3/4 acres. \$35,000.00. **df**

COUNTRY - Built in 1896, 2 or 3 bdr home w/ 1 1/2 baths, living rm, game rm, located on a hill w/ lots of trees. Nice horse or cattle barn, 2 car garage all on 23 +/- acres. \$85,000.00. **ma**

PRICED TO SELL - 2 br, 1 bath, liv. rm, carport, nice storage bldg., central heat & air. \$42,500.00. **rd**

LOTS & ACREAGE

IRMA WHITE ROAD - 69 +/- acres with a 12x16 hunting cabin. Excellent hunting or recreational farm. Won't last long. \$90,000.00. **hd**

40 +/- ACRES - Great hunting full of deer & turkey, all wooded and located just outside the city limits on Hwy. 506. Small tracts are hard to find, so hurry before it's gone. \$69,000.00. **jr**

24 ACRES - If you are looking for a nice quiet piece of land, this 24 acres has a lot to offer. perfect for hunting, camping or just a weekend getaway for the family. \$38,400.00. **cb**

BUILD YOUR DREAM HOME - On this 1/2 acre lot +/- with a gorgeous view overlooking Marion. Priced to sell. \$18,000.00 **COME HUNT, FISH OR FARM** - On this 490 +/- acres. Property has a older home and a pond, mostly wooded, some pasture with Ohio River bottom ground. **es**

QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD - 3.37 acres in Grandview Estates, county water, underground electric, \$25,000.00. **mr**

COMMERCIAL

SUPER COMMERCIAL LOCATION - Hwy. 60 west, nice 18x48 block building w/ air. Also a nice home site w/ water & septic & 12 +/- acres. 3 other bldg & an established retail business currently in operation that can be purchased also. This real estate is a bargain at \$71,500.00. **wp**

AUCTIONS

LOU CROCKETT - DEC. 8
Real Estate/Personal Property

ESTATE

AUCTION

ESTATE

Saturday, Dec. 8, 2012 at 10:09 a.m.

Location: 107 N. Clay St. - Marion, KY. Take 120 E. in Marion, go to Myers Funeral Home, turn left onto Clay St. Watch for auction sign.

REAL ESTATE

Very nice split level 3 bedroom, brick home with 3 bathrooms, dining room, family room. Completely remodeled kitchen with Amish cabinets and new appliances. Enclosed garage, patio, 16x20 storage bldg., 30x40 insulated bldg. with large overhead doors, all on 1.19 acre lot.

CAR - VAN

2005 Ford Focus (loaded) - 2000 Safari GMC work van - 1931 Model A Ford

FURNITURE - TOOLS

Walnut dining table w/6 chairs & hutch - organ (needs repair) - TV console - large computer & secretary desk - 4 nice bedroom suites - dresser & bed - dining table with 4 wing back chairs - bookcase with glass doors - wood storage cabinet - couch & chair - wood desk - wooden rocker & glider - Kenmore Elite washer & dryer - sewing machine & cabinet - portable sewing machine - metal glider & rocking chair - small Warm Morning stove - baby bed - Kitchen Aid fridge - wooden shelf - 36x36 beveled mirror - lamps - lamp table - corner table - twin bed - china cabinet - dresser - chest - night stand - armoire - GE freezer - Whirlpool microwave & table - elec. range - Tapan trash compactor - exhaust hood - New Craftsman table saw - International 15 drawer tool chest - small tool boxes - miter saw - elec. Sawsau - air sander - vise grinder - air paint gun - 2 gal sprayer - elec. blower - Craftsman bench tool cabinet - lots of hand tools - tow rope - post hole digger - pitch fork - rakes - step ladder - 4 hp 3 gal air compressor - Craftsman gas leaf blower - 12 gal 5 hp shop vac - chain fall - gas cans - 16 ft. ext. ladder - propane tanks - squirrel cage - 15 pc. garden tool set - Kenmore vac - 7 1/4" Craftsman saw - 3/8 air ratchet - pipe wrenches - Milwaukee 1/2" elec. drill - lawn mower & cart - FS45 Stihl weed eater (like new) - 22" Craftsman trimmer with 6.75 motor (like new) - 42" cut 5 hp recoil-start Troy-Bilt sickle bar mower.

MISC

Murray Nassau girls bike - 6 kids bikes (Spiderman, Dr. Pepper, boys & girls Huffy - old Schwinn bike - Vita Master exercise bike - fishing poles - dishes - pictures - Frost Tearia punch bowl with 12 cups - folding table - milk can - cast iron pot - concrete planter - 8 ft. light fixture - copper tubing - wooden swing - Coleman cooler - propane heater on stand - canning jars - metal shelf - saw horses - elec. wire - fish net - doors - basketball goal stand - folding chairs - storm doors - push mower - cast iron skillet - lots of elec. supplies - several kinds of light fixtures - 2 metal security doors - ice cream freezer - lots of what nots - dolls - furnace - wooden flooring - Nortika china - 2 motorcycle wind shields - large sewage snake - metal cabinet - 2 drawer file cabinet - 82 pc. Palitz Graff Bone China set - other misc.

OWNER: J.C. Crockett Estate

TERMS: 15% down on real estate, balance in 30 days or sooner with deed. Personal property MUST be paid for DAY OF SALE with cash or good check. NO CREDIT or DEBIT CARDS. Everything sold as is where is, no exceptions. Homes built before 1978 could have lead base paint. Buyer will be required to sign lead base paint disclosure day of sale. Prospective buyers should personally inspect property prior to auction day. All information contained herein was obtained from sources deemed reliable, but are not guaranteed or warranted. Announcements made day of sale take precedence over all other forms of advertisement, either oral or printed. NO BUYERS FEE. Not responsible for accidents. Lunch available.

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WHO WE ARE



Cecilia Curtis

Although she retired from teaching a few years ago, Crittenden County resident Cecilia Curtis often returns to the classroom as a substitute teacher at Crittenden County Middle and High schools.

With a degree in elementary education and library science, Curtis began her career in education working 11 years as a librarian at the middle school in Marshall County.

"It was a great time. I made some good friends. One I still have to this day. She was the guidance counselor there. We would meet at the

Piggly Wiggly over at Eddyville and carpool to Benton," she said.

Curtis eventually accepted a position as librarian at Crittenden County Middle School before eventually teaching first grade at the elementary school.

"I loved it. I loved the kids," Curtis said. "The little first graders have so much energy and they are so excited about learning things. It was fun."

She encourages individuals pursuing a career in education to volunteer at a school and work with the

teachers and the students.

"My best advice is to love kids. Absolutely love what you're doing," she said.

Curtis also enjoys traveling and exploring different parts of the world. She and her husband Jimmy have visited parts of Canada, Mexico and the Mayan Riviera. As a celebration of their 40th wedding anniversary, the couple plans on visiting the Hawaiian Islands.

"I can't wait to snorkel with the manta rays and ride horses at the Parker Ranch," she said.

In addition to touring the lava fields and the Kilauea volcano, they also want to visit Pearl Harbor on Oahu.

"This will be our first visit there. For 40 years I've wanted to go to Hawaii. I can't wait," she said.

Who We Are is a regular feature in The Crittenden Press where individuals who live and work in the community are spotlighted. If you know of someone who'd make a good subject, drop us an email at thepress@the-press.com.

Area News and Information

Spar exploration taking a break for Christmas holiday

Spar exploration – at least the core drilling aspect of it – has come to a temporary stop in the Frances area. Work is expected to resume following the holidays.

Russ Adams, project manager for the exploration effort in the county by Appalachian Spar, said drillers are idled for the month of December due to a variety of factors, including annual training and the holidays.

"Phase One of our drilling is done," Adams said. "We're still working with samples and sending them off to be analyzed. It's been good so far. We're finding what we expected."

Adams said drilling is being done deeper than ever before in this district. Crittenden County was once the flourspar capital of the country and many hope it will be again.

Core drilling contractor Boart Longyear had been working round the clock since June 18, taking samples of earth from an area between Dycusburg and Mexico. The night sky was lit up for a time with multiple rigs working through the night with portable lighting.

"We decided to take a break. We've been hitting it 24/7 for a long time," Adams said.

Reward offered in theft of box trailer

A \$1,500 reward is offered for information leading to the return and/or arrest of the person or persons responsible for stealing a 24-foot box trailer from the home of Brian and Jessica Penn on Mexico Church Road.

The 2003 Haulmark eight-foot wide enclosed trailer is white and has fold-down rear ramps. It went missing from a barn in front of Penn's home between 2 and 4:30 p.m., Friday.

Inside the trailer were custom-made Amish kitchen cabinets.

Anyone with information can call Crittenden County TipLine at 965-3000 and remain anonymous. TipLine is offering a \$500 reward and the owner of the trailer is offering an additional \$1,000. You may also call police at 965-3500.

Woman get 60 days for cold checking

Gina Cox, 43, of Marion pleaded guilty to three counts of misdemeanor cold check writing (theft by deception) last week in Crittenden District Court.

The plea agreement came moments before Cox was set to go on trial to face the charges.

She pleaded guilty to writing checks in the amount of \$98.84, \$63 and \$36.87 to Five Star Food Mart in Marion.

She was ordered to serve 20 days in jail on each count for a total of 60 days. Plus, Cox will have to pay restitution and court fees.

Cox is also currently facing felony cold check writing cases and is due for appearance in front of Judge Rene Williams next week in Crittenden Circuit Court.

Man with 6th driving infraction sentenced to jail

Joshua L. Jones, 24, of Marion pleaded guilty last week to a sixth charge of driving on a suspended license. His previous charges for the same of-



The Fraternal Order of Eagles Ladies Auxiliary recently raffled a home-made afghan for local charity. The auxiliary chose to give the proceeds to Kim Lemon Cosby of Marion. The auxiliary is also making contributions to the Crittenden County Middle School PTO and the Humane Society. Pictured above are (from left) Agnes Brown, Maxine Sutton, Melburn Conner (who won the afghan), Cosby and Lori Holeman.

fense came in 2007, 2009, two in 2010 and in 2011.

County Attorney Rebecca Johnson, who prosecuted the case in Crittenden District Court, said she hopes that one day the laws dealing with this particular crime are restructured so that there are enhanced penalties for multiple infractions. As it stands, Kentucky law considers the first and all subsequent charges of driving on a suspended license to be a Class B misdemeanor.

Jones was ordered to serve 60 days in jail.

Two-year-old dies after falling from skid steer

Kentucky State Police conducted a death investigation Friday in Eddyville when a two-year-old boy fell from a skid steer and was fatally injured.

Police received a 911 call at 12:35 p.m., advising that the child had been severely injured and was being transported to the Caldwell Medical Center's emergency room by a private vehicle.

The child, Charles Bobinsky IV of Eddyville had been riding with his grandfather, Charles Bobinsky, 52, of Eddyville, who was operating a skid steer loader on his private property. The child fell off the skid steer and received a massive head injury, state police said in a news release. The child died at the Caldwell hospital. The boy has relatives in Crittenden County. See obituary, page 9.

The investigation is continuing by Master Trooper Chris Anderson. Anderson was assisted by the Lyon County Sheriff's Department, Lyon County EMS and state police Detective Matt Foster.

State's jobless rate is stable in October

Kentucky's seasonally adjusted preliminary unemployment rate remained steady at 8.4 percent from September 2012 to October 2012, according to the Office of Employment and Training (OET), an agency of the Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet.

Unemployment rates fell in 101 Kentucky counties, including Crittenden, between October 2011 and October 2012. The Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, an agency of the Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet, said rates in 17 counties increased and two stayed the same during that period.

Union County at 6.2 percent and Webster at 6.6 percent were among the counties with the lowest jobless rate.

Magoffin County recorded the state's highest unemployment rate at 15.5 percent.

Unemployment statistics are based on estimates and are compiled to measure trends rather than actually to count people working. Civilian labor force statistics include non-military workers and unemployed Kentuckians who are actively seeking work. They do not include unemployed Kentuckians who have not looked for employment within the past four weeks. The statistics in this news release are not seasonally adjusted to allow for comparisons between United States, state and county figures.

The preliminary October 2012 jobless rate was 0.9 percentage points below the 9.3 percent rate recorded for the state in October 2011.

The U.S. seasonally adjusted jobless rate fell to 7.9 percent in October 2012 from 7.8 percent in September 2012, according to the U.S. Department of Labor.

In October 2012, Kentucky's civilian labor force was 2,084,019, an increase of 10,539 individuals compared to the previous month, and employment also grew at about the same pace with the addition of 10,310 jobs.

"Historically, this is the highest recorded monthly gain in both employment and in the labor force, but it's important to recognize that it's a statistical spike, an anomaly," said economist Manoj Shanker of the OET. "When the data is averaged over three months it shows that Kentucky's employment took a definite positive turn starting in September 2011 and continues to grow steadily."

In a separate federal survey of business establishments that excludes jobs in agriculture and people who are self-employed, Kentucky's seasonally adjusted nonfarm employment lost 6,600 jobs in October 2012 from the previous month. On an over-the-year basis, the state's nonfarm employment has grown by two percent with the addition of 35,700 jobs.

"It is important not to read too much into a one-month decline, especially when it occurs after 16 months of steady growth," said Shanker.

Nonfarm data is provided by the Bureau of Labor Statistics' Current Employment Statistics program. According to this survey, two of Kentucky's 11 major nonfarm North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) job sectors registered gains in employment, while eight declined and one remained the same.

Kentucky's educational and health services sector grew by 1,500 jobs in October 2012. The sector has posted a gain of 1,800 jobs since October 2011.

"Health care jobs account for nearly 90 percent of employment in this sector and continue to be a major source of

growth," Shanker said.

The financial activities sector rose by 500 jobs in October 2012. Compared to October a year ago businesses involved in finance, insurance, real estate and property leasing added 1,500 jobs.

Kentucky's manufacturing sector remained flat in October 2012 compared to the previous month. Since October 2011, employment in manufacturing has increased by 4,500 jobs or 2.1 percent.

The number of jobs in the other services sector, which includes repairs and maintenance, personal care services, and religious organizations, declined by 200 in October 2012. Compared to a year ago, there has been a gain of 800 jobs.

The information sector dropped by 400 jobs in October 2012. This segment has 700 more positions compared to October 2011. The industries in this sector include traditional publishing as well as software publishing; motion pictures and broadcasting; and telecommunications.

Coal mining jobs declining

Employment in the mining and logging sector declined by 600 positions in October 2012. The number of jobs in this sector has dropped by 1,600 or 7.2 percent since last October.

"The United States is on track to becoming the biggest energy producer in the world by 2020, but coal seems to be playing an ever smaller role in that equation," Shanker said. "Employment in coal mining has declined steadily in the face of competition from low-cost natural gas."

The leisure and hospitality sector fell by 900 jobs in October 2012. Since October 2011, the sector has grown by 7,700 positions. This sector includes arts, entertainment, recreation, accommodation and food services.

The construction sector lost 1,400 positions in October 2012 from a month ago. Since October 2011, employment in construction has fallen by 2,100 positions or 3.2 percent.

"The housing market continues to be overstocked in Kentucky, and employment will be flat at best until the backlog is cleared," said Shanker.

Kentucky's professional and business services sector shrunk by 1,500 jobs in October 2012. This category includes establishments engaged in services that support the day-to-day activities of other organizations, including temporary employment services. Since last October, jobs in the sector have increased by 14,600 or 7.6 percent.

The government sector, which includes public education, public administration agencies and state-owned hospitals, decreased by 1,600 jobs in October 2012. The sector had 200 more jobs compared to October 2011.

Kentucky's trade, transportation and utilities sector lost 2,000 jobs in October 2012. This is the largest sector in Kentucky with 374,200 positions, and accounts for about 20 percent of nonfarm employment. Since October 2011, jobs in this sector have increased by 7,600 or 2.1 percent.

"The sudden decline in trade and transportation is almost entirely from a contraction in retail sales employment. This reflects pay-back after stronger than usual hiring in September when retail employment was up by over 2 percent with the addition of 4,300 jobs," said Shanker.

Kentucky's statewide unemployment rate and employment levels are seasonally adjusted. Employment statistics undergo sharp fluctuations due to seasonal events, such as weather changes, harvests, holidays

AREA UNEMPLOYMENT FIGURES October 2012						
County	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Oct. 2012	Sept. 2012	Oct. 2011
Statewide	2,087,454	1,925,477	161,977	7.8%	7.8%	8.8%
MCCRACKEN	31,984	29,513	2,471	7.7%	7.6%	8.0%
MARSHALL	15,062	13,879	1,183	7.9%	7.8%	8.6%
CALDWELL	6,739	6,297	442	6.6%	6.6%	7.3%
CHRISTIAN	26,718	24,308	2,410	9.0%	11.1%	10.3%
CRITTENDEN	4,311	4,004	307	7.1%	7.4%	7.5%
HOPKINS	23,154	21,591	1,563	6.8%	6.9%	7.2%
LIVINGSTON	4,768	4,402	366	7.7%	7.4%	8.3%
LYON	3,489	3,210	279	8.0%	8.2%	8.8%
TRIGG	6,571,	6,080,	491	7.5%	8.9%	8.2%
HENDERSON	23,379	21,740	1,639	7.0%	7.8%	8.3%
MCLEAN	4,553	4,209	344	7.6%	7.4%	8.0%
UNION	8,280	7,766	514	6.2%	5.9%	7.8%
WEBSTER	6,380	5,956	424	6.6%	7.5%	8.1%

Police Department Activity NOVEMBER 2012



Here is an activity report for the Marion Police Department reflecting information from last month. Source: Police Chief Ray O'Neal.

Category	MONTH OF NOVEMBER
Miles Patrolled/Driven.....	2,219
Criminal Investigations.....	25
Domestic Violence Calls.....	12
Felony Arrests	0
Misdemeanor Arrests.....	6
Non-Criminal Arrests	3
DUIs	2
Criminal Summonses Issued	4
Traffic Citations Issued.....	12
Traffic Warnings	12
Other Citations	26
Parking Tickets.....	0
Traffic Accidents	3
Security Checks or Alarm Responses	64
Total Calls for Service.....	267

and school openings and closings. Seasonal adjustments eliminate these influences and make it easier to observe statistical trends. However, because of the small sample size, county unemployment rates are not seasonally adjusted.

Former Lyon judge's son dies in auto accident

The son of a former Lyon County judge-executive was killed in an automobile accident Friday in rural Lyon County.

The single-vehicle accident happened about 10 p.m., in the Lamasco community on Ky. 93 South.

State police said 33-year-old Jesse Bealmear of Princeton was driving a pickup truck and 37-year-old James Campbell of Eddyville was his passenger. For unknown reasons, the truck left the highway and traveled down the right side of the road about 700 feet before striking a tree.

Bealmear was seriously injured and airlifted by PHI Air Medical to Evansville's Deaconess Hospital. The Lyon County Coroner declared Campbell dead at the scene.

Bealmear was unrestrained, but Campbell was wearing a seatbelt when the accident happened. Alcohol is suspected as a contributing factor in the wreck, state police said.

The deceased man's father, Jimmy Campbell, was Lyon County Judge-Executive from 2006 to 2010.

Kentucky State Police were assisted by Eddyville Fire Department, Lyon County Sheriff's Department, Lyon County Rescue, Lyon County EMS, and the Kuttawa Fire Department.

Watch: Heating scam

With the start of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) this week, Attorney General Jack Conway and Community Action Kentucky (CAK) warn consumers seeking heating assistance to be leery of scam artists.

"Many consumers seeking

home heating assistance are elderly or vulnerable citizens who are at high risk for scams," Conway said. "I want to make sure Kentuckians who need a helping hand this winter don't fall victim to scam artists seeking to profit from the suffering of others."

The LIHEAP Subsidy component began Nov. 5 and will run through Dec. 14. During this time, CAK's 23 Community Action Agencies (CAA) will take applications for low-income households in need of home heating assistance.

To protect against fraud, report scams to the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Hotline at 1-888-432-9257 and to the Federal Trade Commission at 1-877-382-4357.

Watch: BBB scam

Scammers have launched a widespread phishing campaign using the Better Business Bureau (BBB) brand, and targeting consumers and business owners. The Better Business Bureau has received thousands of samples of these emails.

The emails claim the recipient's company has been the subject of a complaint, and asks the recipient to download and complete an attached form. The download, however, is an executable file that plants a nasty virus onto the user's computer.

BBB has heard from a handful of persons who say they inadvertently downloaded the virus and, upon doing so, their system was disabled by "rogueware" that demands payment in order to restore the system to working order. Of course, paying the scammer's fee won't fix anything on the computer, and the scammers will then have the victim's banking information and can swindle the victim even more.

Without clicking any link in the message, forward the email to the BBB's address: phishing@council.bbb.org.

See News Call 965-3191 thepress@the-press.com

Report Crime TipLine 965-3000 Remain Anonymous

Public libraries seen as role model for good government

STAFF REPORT

In a technological world, public libraries have become so much more than just a place to go when needing a good book to read. Libraries have become a place where community members can use computers, draft resumes, meet authors and more. It's because of the multiple usages libraries offer that has made the services a good staple of every community, including Crittenden County.

Regina Merrick, Director of Crittenden County Public Library, believes that a community with a good library is a community that cares about the direction it's going.

"Statistics show that a community with a thriving library is a more progressive community," Merrick said.

But it's not just about

services that are offered but also how well a library is properly maintained when it comes to annual reports and compliance audits.

"I feel like we definitely have checks and balances as a library and we make sure certain standards are met," Merrick said.

Because of this, it comes as no surprise to Merrick that Kentucky State Auditor Adam Edelen recently released a report on special taxing districts in Kentucky, describing public libraries as models of transparency and accountability.

"Public libraries are a good example of oversight and government. We're fortunate



Merrick

enough to have a representative from the Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives (KDLA) help us in any way we may need," Merrick added.

In the report, Edelen specifically cites the work of the KDLA and the Kentucky Public Library Association (KPLA) in promoting good governance in libraries.

"KDLA and KPLA put a great deal of effort to provide the public with as much transparency and accountability as possible," Edelen said in the report.

KPLA Chair Susan Nimersheim is very pleased with the report's findings.

"Public libraries are really one of the best returns on tax dollars that you have. This report verifies that libraries are excellent stewards of the public's trust," Nimersheim said.

The State Auditor's report lists libraries as the first best case scenario in good governance. Edelen specifically noted the extensive report that each public library submits to KDLA each year. The annual report to KDLA details both the library's financial statements and performance in terms of circulation, programming and usage of facilities.

"There were over 20 million visits to Kentucky's public libraries this past year," Nimersheim said. "The usage of library services just continues to climb."

The trustee training and certification program is also highlighted in the report. This system provides a minimum of five hours of training in various aspects of library governance including finances, policies and planning.

"Library trustees are local people who understand they are responsible for providing the services that people need efficiently," said Kentucky Library Trustee Roundtable chair Steve Marcum. "Most of us become trustees because we love the things libraries do for our communities, but we find out that there's a lot of responsibility in ensuring accountability in the use of taxpayer dollars."

KDLA requires each library to submit a copy of its audit before state aid funds will be released. The Crittenden County Public Library has an audit performed every four years, with a financial review in the interim years.

"The audits require a qualified accountant to review our finances thoroughly," Nimersheim said.

Merrick credits the KDLA for public libraries being fiscally efficient.

"We have regional help from the KDLA who has a representative in each region that can answer any questions we may have or help oversee support," Merrick said. "Our regional librarian is based in Murray and comes to all of our board meetings. KDLA is definitely a good resource."

KDLA also creates a monthly Trustee Tip to keep library trustees informed on Open Meetings and Open Records statutes, library policies and tax rate questions.

"We are so grateful for the work of KDLA," Nimersheim said. "The level of service that they provide to libraries is phenomenal."

For more information on all services that CCPL provides, call 965-3354.

Quilt club learns how to lap quilt during meeting

BY JASON TRAVIS
PRESS REPORTER

It's been a successful start for the Quilt Club. Established in September, the Quilt Club has grown from two members to 10, according to Nancy Hunt, Family and Consumer Sciences Agent for the Crittenden County Extension Office.

The club consists of both novice and experienced quilters. Members from three different counties attend monthly meetings at the Extension Office. At the Nov. 26 meeting, Ginny Oldham presented a program on lap quilting by demonstrating the steps and showing some of the quilts she has made. Oldham informed the club on books and patterns she has found useful as well as a special hoop she had made for lap quilting.

The Quilt Club is open to both beginners and experienced quilters. The next meeting will be at 9:30 a.m., on Jan. 28 at the Crittenden



Ginny Oldham (second from left) presents a program on lap quilting at the Nov. 26 meeting of the Quilt Club at the Crittenden County Cooperative Extension Office in Marion.

County Extension Office.

Hunt said the Extension Office has received requests to have a quilt club at night and will pursue the idea if at least eight people are interested.

For further information on the Quilt Club call the Crittenden County Extension Office at 965-5236.

Ashley Wheeler, Savannah Peek and Katie Wheeler visited Travis Jankowski in Bowling Green during the summer at a professional baseball game. Jankowski is a former Marion Bobcat who was drafted to the Fort Wayne Indiana Tin Caps during the Major League Baseball Draft. He currently reports in with San Diego Padres this spring.

Tucker celebrates 95th birthday

On Nov. 29, friends and family celebrated with Marion resident Ethel Tucker at her 95th birthday party at the Tea Room in Marion. Tucker is the author of the cookbook "Tea Time of Life." Tucker is pictured with Julie Stout.

Marion Cafe displays veteran tree

In keeping with the patriotic Christmas theme for this year's parade, the Marion Cafe is displaying a veteran's tree. Gladys Brown cut out photos of veterans from The Press and used them as ornaments on the tree. Her husband, Jim Brown, is an Army veteran. Brown is observing the ornament representing Sgt. James Ellis Ordway of the U.S. Army who was killed in action in France in 1944.

Ovarian cancer known as the silent killer

Ovarian cancer is often considered a silent killer, because many times, women do not know they have it until it is too late. Ovarian cancer accounts for 3 percent of all cancers diagnosed in women and is the deadliest gynecological cancer. This year, The American Cancer Society estimates that doctors will diagnose more than 22,000 cases of ovarian cancer in the United States and 15,500 American women will die of the disease.

Fortunately, when found in the early stages, treatment can be effective and chances for recovery are improved. Knowing the risk factors, signs and symptoms of ovarian cancer can help you protect your loved ones and yourself.

Women with an increased risk of developing ovarian cancer include those over 50 years old, a family history of ovarian, being diagnosed with breast, uterine or colon cancer, no children or trouble conceiving.

Since ovarian cancer symptoms are similar to the symptoms for many different diseases, you should pay close attention to your body. If you began experiencing any of the following signs and symptoms for longer than two weeks, you should talk with your doctor about possible causes.

- Pain below your stomach and/or between your hips.
- Back pain.
- Being constantly tired.
- Bloating.
- Difficulty eating or always feeling full.
- Abnormal vaginal bleeding or discharge.

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Extension Homemakers Association has raised funds for ovarian cancer research at the University of Kentucky. The program was started by Virginia McCandless, an officer in the association who lost her fight with ovarian cancer. To date, Extension Homemakers have raised nearly \$1.2 million.

Funds raised by Extension Homemakers also help fund a free ovarian cancer screening program at UK. Women over 50 or 25 with a family history of ovarian cancer can participate. For more information, visit UK's Ovarian Cancer Screening Program website at <http://ovarianscreening.info/>.

In Crittenden County Extension Homemakers raise funds for ovarian cancer programs by donating at least \$1 per member and individual donations are made by those who have had ovarian cancer or in honor of those who have had.

For more information about ovarian cancer or how to donate to the UK Ovarian Cancer Research Fund, contact the Crittenden County office of the UK Cooperative Extension Service.

Educational programs of the Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.



Several soldiers from the 101st Airborne Wounded Warrior Transition Battalion participated in a deer hunt Nov. 16-18, hosted by the National Wild Turkey Federation.

Turkey federation hosts hunt for wounded warriors

STAFF REPORT
During Nov. 16-18, the National Wild Turkey Federation (NWTf) Shelley Nickell Chapter of Livingston County hosted a deer hunt for Wounded Warriors. The guest hunters were from the 101st Airborne Wounded Warrior Transition Battalion based at Ft. Campbell. The soldiers are also known as the HOOAH (Healing Outside of a Hospital) group.
After the NWTf chapter hosted their spring turkey

hunt for Wounded Warriors this year, it was decided to host a fall deer hunting adventure for them, as well.
Jon Kell graciously offered his property to be used for the hunt. Also volunteering lodging and hunting property was Eddie Shaffer of West Kentucky Hilltoppers Hunting Lodge.
Committee members of the NWTf chapter volunteered as guides. The chapter provided food, soft drinks and snacks for the hunters and guides.



The entire NWTf chapter lends support to this event.
The Shelley Nickell chapter intends to continue the spring turkey and fall deer hunts for the Wounded Warriors in the future. "I don't know who gets the most out of the hunt – the warriors or the committee members," said guide Jim Johnston.

"It's so rewarding, and a very humbling experience, to spend time in the great outdoors with these brave men who have sacrificed so much for our freedom."
The group of hunters and guides finished the weekend hunt with a harvest of two bucks and one doe.

Couple renews wedding vows

Roger Jonas Martin and Rebecca June Martin renewed their wedding vows Nov. 27 at Crittenden County

Health and Rehabilitation Center. They had been married for one year on Nov. 26.

ThePressCALENDAR

Thursday, Dec. 6

■ The Ellis B. Ordway Post No. 111 American Legion and Auxiliary will have their Christmas dinner at the Marion Café at 6:30 p.m., Thursday.

Saturday, Dec. 8

■ The lighted Christmas parade in Salem will begin at 5:30 p.m., and will have a patriotic Christmas theme. Eugene Walker will be this year's grand marshal.

Ongoing

■ Cash Express, located at 103 Morningside Drive, is hosting its eighth annual coat and toy drive for Community Christmas. Toys, coats, shoes (washable) and non-perishable food items will be accepted. All donations need to be received by Dec. 15. For more information, call 965-9965.

■ The Crittenden County Senior Citizens Center hosts bingo at 10:30 a.m., every Friday.

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Brian and Jessica Penn of Marion and big brother Caden Penn announce the birth of a daughter, Mela Kate Penn, October 11, 2012. Mela Kate weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz., and was 19 1/4 in long.

Thank You

The family of Michael Shane Travis would like to thank everyone for the calls, visits, food, flowers and gifts that were sent during our loss. We would like to thank the staff of Myers Funeral Home for working so hard to make the darkest days of our lives more bearable. We would like to thank members of Caldwell Springs Church for providing the dinner after the graveside service. We appreciate every act of kindness shown to our family during this difficult time.

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Crittenden County attorneys played a role in town’s history

Attorneys played an important role in the early days of our county's history. They not only had many cases to try in court at Marion but when the need arose, they would travel to different districts in the county and would have court there. From the archives of The Crittenden Press we find some interesting history of some of the attorneys of the times and a sampling of some of the cases that they handed.

**January 1895
Moore & Moore
Attorneys at Law**

A.C. Moore is a son of Judge J.A. Moore, and he inherits his father's love of the profession to which he has devoted his life and talents.

A native of Crittenden County, 38 years of age, prepossessing a distinguished appearance, he makes havoc with the preconceived ideas of the 12 good men and true in the jury box, provided, their thoughts of the verdict to be rendered are contrary to his side of the case.

Educated largely in our high school, supplemented by the Madisonville normal, he placed himself under the directing touch of Judge L.H. James, the eminent lawyer, and was admitted to the bar in 1888.

In all of our prominent cases Mr. Moore is usually observed on one side or the other. He has been honored politically several times, County Attorney, Supervisor of the United States Census, with the direct control of over 100 bright men whose loyalty and good work indicated his directing genius, he now devotes his entire time to his large and lucrative professional practice. (Alfred Clay Moore died Dec. 11, 1946 and is buried at Mapleview Cemetery.)

John A. Moore is devoted to his professional practice of the law, city attorney for the past five years. Mr. Moore's experience has been good for so young a man with 30 years of varied and extensive experience. Graduating from the Marion High School in 1890, he was admitted to the bar in 1894, and has since been a close student of both men and the law. He is a Crittenden County production in every respect, born, educated and married, and has all the strong loyalty to his town, county and state. (John A. Moore died in 1952 and is buried in Mapleview Cemetery.)

**Blue & DeBoe
Attorneys at Law**

J.W. Blue, Jr., of the law firm of Blue and DeBoe, was educated in the public school and Marion Academy, and graduated from the Marion Academy in 1880. He then entered upon the study of law in his father's office and also supplemented that knowledge by attending lectures in the Louisville Law School, graduating in 1885. By his oratorical powers and persuasive presentation in addressing a jury, the force of his argument is very powerful. (John William Blue, Jr. died 1934 and is buried in Mapleview Cemetery.)

W.J. Deboe the second partner of this firm also received his early education in the public schools of the county and at Bethlehem Academy. After graduation, he taught for five years in Crittenden and adjoining counties. He then attended Ewing College in Illinois, studying both law and medicine. He was admitted to the bar in 1889. His magnetic personality and easily recognizable abilities soon placed him among the top attorneys in the area. (William J. Deboe died June 14, 1927 and is buried in Mapleview Cemetery.)

**Rochester & Kevil,
Attorneys at Law**

J.G. Rochester, is a Kentuckian born and raised in Marion, and it was here he was educated and here began studying law with Dan H. Hughes in Morganfield, and was tutored by some of the ablest minds of the age. In 1878 he entered upon the practice of his profession, taking at once a commanding position at the Crittenden County bar and leading in active political life in the fold of the Democratic Party, of which he has always been an active member.

He has held some of the most important public of-



ices within the gift of the people of his county. He was twice elected county attorney, entering the office when only 27 years of age, being the youngest man ever so honored in Crittenden County.

His has been a long, successful legal experience, one that has particularly fitted him for county judge. His law practice has been a general one, commercial and corporation law and he represents several prominent collecting agencies.

It is as a lawyer he has achieved his great celebrity. In his office in the Carnahan Block, an elegant library and the latest decision and reports surround him and thoughts occupied is never too busy or tired to talk and execute business.

He has a large acquaintance over the county and numbers his friends by the score. Plain, unassuming, pleasant and social he lives near the people. (Joseph G. Rochester died Dec. 30, 1929 and is buried in Mapleview Cemetery.)

J. Bell Kevil, our former county surveyor, has found his professional duties largely increased, owing to the great number of mining leases that require "running out."

Kevil, due to his years of county surveyor, is very familiar with the topography of the county, as well as the direction and extent of our mineral veins that he is about the busiest man in the city. His law practice alone is sufficiently great to demand most of his attention. Add to all these duties that of police judge and mining engineer and one can easily see that



J.W. Blue

he has not much time for amusement.

Kevil, before he came to Marion, lived at Dycusburg where he was engaged in milling. He moved to Marion with the advent of the railroad and was one of the founders and original owners of the Marion Mill. (Kevil died March 10, 1817 in Sikeston, Mo., but was brought back and buried in Mapleview Cemetery.)

In Circuit Court, April 4, 1895, the grand jury returned a bill against James Adams, accusing him of killing his wife. The court appointed Blue & Deboe to defend the accused, as Adams had no money to employ counsel.

Monday the case was called for trial and both sides announced ready. Twenty-odd witnesses were examined. Some of the commonwealth witnesses stated that there were bruises on the neck and knees of the dead woman; one witness stated that he heard screams in the direction of the house the evening Mrs. Adams died; other witnesses stated that Adams was in the habit of cruelly treating his wife.

Witnesses for the defense stated that the accused was kind and good to his wife; that the wife was subject to smothering spells; the defense proved that the witness who told of the woman's screams had made contrary statements. Dr. J.H. Clark stated he had ex-



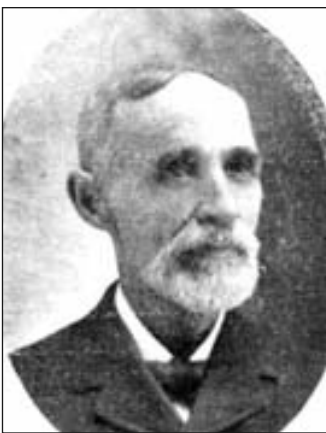
William Deboe

amined the body of the dead woman, which was exhumed, and that there was no evidences of a violent death; there were no bruises on the neck and that the red places on knees was caused by the disease of the skin, and they were not bruised places. He said the neck of persons dying suddenly frequently turned black.

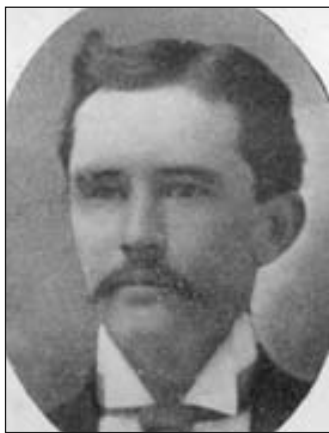
The case was given to the jury without argument and after 30 minutes, the jury returned a verdict of acquittal and the defendant was discharged.

In May of 1895, attorneys Rochester and Kevil were called to Shady Grove to assist with a trial before Esquire Williams. There was a strong array of counsel, and a good number of witnesses that testified. The warrant was against several parties, charging them with "An Unlawful Assembly." But the causes were severed, and W.G. Williamson was put upon trial.

After the prosecuting attorney had exhausted his witnesses and had vainly sought relief from the witnesses for the defense and finding nothing upon which to hang a hope for conviction, he dismissed the prosecution as to all. So it is now on record that Mr. Williamson is not an "Unlawful Assembly." After the trial was over, Rochester and Kevil started their long journey back to Marion.



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Democracy cannot establish righteousness

Jesus came into the world to set up the Kingdom of Heaven, not to banish the Romans from Jerusalem but to banish sin from the heart of men. He consistently refused to meddle with the kingdoms of this world, even though they came to bring a kingdom of righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost (Romans 14:17).

First and foremost, it is righteousness, for apart from a ministration of righteousness by the Holy Spirit, there can be no abiding foundation for peace, much less for joy. Now righteousness is a free gift of God, and it comes to us by the workings of his grace. So what is righteousness? The good works of the people?

Not really. Christ Jesus is made unto us righteousness (1 Cor. 1:30). This puts the whole matter in an entirely different light. There ought to be good works, that is true. But they are not really righteous deeds in the sight of God except they be the out-working of Christ Himself in our midst. It is only as we are abiding in Christ that his righteousness is revealed in our lives, energizing and manifesting His own life are we truly a manifestation of God in the earth. We might bring forth some impressive programs – religious or otherwise. We might preach, evangelize and get involved with all kinds of Christian outreaches but if it is because of human zeal, and not

Commentary by
Feltz Yoder

the fruit of the righteousness of Christ in our lives, it will go up in smoke in the day of Christ.

Way back in Exodus God's promise to his people was that they were to be a kingdom of priests. But by the time of the prophet Samuel, they wanted a king so they could be like other nations. This greatly displeased Samuel and it greatly displeased the Lord. the Kingdom that God had in mind for them would make them very much unlike the nations. We have discovered that God usually permits man to go his own way to try and fail and learn the hard way. And as the Lord went along with their cries and picked for them a king that He knew would be very much to their liking. They had become ordinary people like the nations about them, self-seeking, self-centered and wayward from God. God is sovereign over all, and he continues to set in office the man He has chosen, be it what the people want, or what they need, or what they deserve.

With the anointing of Saul

as King, new hope was born in the hearts of the people, and of course for a season all seemed to go reasonably well. And what's more, we are told Saul was mighty in the Spirit, mighty in prophecy, mighty in battle and mighty in God. But Saul was not a man after God's own heart. Because such a man is compatible with the heart of the nation, he therefore will not, or can not, make or enforce laws that would curtail the crime and the corruption that abounds in the land.

We all know the rest of the story. Saul walked down the pathway of disobedience. He yielded to the wishes of the people, when God commanded otherwise. And this explains clearly why a democratic society, and a democratic form of government, cannot establish righteousness in the land. In the final analysis he must yield to the wishes of the people – that is what democracy is all about.

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■ Marion Baptist Church will host AWANA at 5:45 p.m., Sunday nights for ages two through fifth grade. Other special fall classes include Youth 180 (Hunger and Thirst Games), led by Bro. Jason Dunbar at 6:30 p.m., Sundays; Ladies Bible study led by Pam Collins at 6:30 p.m., Sundays; men's bible study led by Stuart Collins at 6:30 p.m., Sundays and Revival Principles led by Bro. Mike Jones at 6:30 p.m., Sundays. For more information, call the church at 965-5232.

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Obituaries

Kindred

Michael "Mickey" Kindred, 66, of Smithland died Tuesday, Nov. 27, 2012 at Vanderbilt University Hospital Palliative Center following a prolonged illness.

He was a graduate of Heath High School and Paducah Community College. Soon after he married his wife, Shari, he joined the U.S. Army where he served as a communication specialist stationed at Fort Gordon, Ga., Fort Hood, Texas and Seoul, South Korea.

Upon his discharge from the Army, he was hired by South Central Bell where he was employed until his retirement in 1999.

Kindred was a member of the Potter's House Baptist Worship Center where he served as a deacon.

Surviving are his wife of 46 years, Shari Walker Kindred; three daughters, Shelley Gray and husband Scott, Missy Lowrance and husband Brian, and Jodi Watkins and husband Charles, all of Smithland; his mother, Mary Lou Kindred; eight grandchildren, Haley and Madison Gray, Breanna, Hannah and Rebecca Lowrance, and Joshua and wife Sarah, Micah and Samuel Watkins; and his mother, Mary Lou Burt Kindred.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Melanie Anne; his father, Alfred; and brother, David Patrick.

Services will were Friday, Nov. 30 at the Potter's House Baptist Worship Center in Smithland with Bro. Fred Lowrance officiating. Burial was at Paradise Cemetery. Boyd Funeral Directors in Salem was in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to Potter's House Baptist Worship Center, 881 Cutoff Road, Smithland, KY 42081.

Brantley

Imogene Brantley, 90, of Marion died Wednesday, Nov. 28, 2012 at Crittenden County Health and Rehab. She was a member of Rosebud Methodist Church.

Surviving are two sons, James Henry and William Clayton Brantley, both of Sturgis; six grandchildren and several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death was her husband, James Clayton Brantley; a daughter, Barbara Gene Mayes; grandchildren, Roger Glen Mayes and Christine Mayes Alvey; a great-great-grandchild; and four brothers and four sisters.

Services were Saturday at Gilbert Funeral Home in Marion. Burial was at Rosebud Cemetery.

Smith

Nancy Marie Smith 56, of Marion died Thursday, Nov. 29, 2012 at Livingston Hospital .

Surviving are her husband, Boyd Smith of Marion; a son, David Boone of Marion; three step-children, Steve Smith, Katrina Florea and Miranda Cain, all of Madisonville; father, Orbin Penn of Marion; and 13 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Jewell Penn; three brothers; and two sisters.

Services were Sunday Dec. 2 at Gilbert Funeral Home. Burial was at Caldwell Springs Cemetery.

Bobinsky

Charles "C.J." Bobinsky IV, 2, of Eddyville died Friday, Nov. 30, 2012 at Caldwell Medical Center in Princeton from injuries sustained from a machinery accident at his residence (see related article page 4).

He attended Princeton Community Fellowship Church in Princeton.

Surviving are his mother, Kristine Bobinsky of Eddyville; his father and step-mother, Jason and Brandy Perry Mullinix of Marion; a sister, Heather Mullinix of Marion; maternal grand-parents, Charles and Corinne Hanson Bobinsky III of Eddyville; paternal grandparents, Mark and Heather Mullinix Gillespie of Eddyville; paternal grandfather, Markus "Ossie" Asmann of Germany; maternal great-grandparents, Charles John and Suzanne Bobinsky Jr., of Willow Springs, Ill.; Barbara and Dave Meisner of Carol Stream, Ill.; August and Liz Hanson of Wisconsin; paternal great-grandparents, Stanley and Linda Mullinix of Eddyville; paternal great-grandmother, Brenda Watson of Princeton; paternal great-great-grandfather, Marvin Mullinix of Eddyville; paternal great-great-grandmother, Eva Jean Darnell of Pleasant Plains, Ill.

Services were Sunday, Dec. 2 at Lakeland Funeral Home Chapel in Eddyville with Pastor Leroy Miller and Pastor Drew Bostwick officiating. Burial was at Saratoga Cemetery in Lyon County.

Rudd

Roberta Sue Rudd, 73, of Ledbetter died Friday, Nov. 30, 2012 at her home.

Surviving are her son, Don Rudd Jr., and his wife Tina; two grandchildren, Don H. Rudd III and his wife Jessica, and Stephanie Rudd; a great-grandchild, Ethan Rudd, all of Ledbetter; and two nephews and one niece.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Don H. Rudd Sr.; a son, John Allan Rudd; a sister, Mardell Sielbeck; and her parents, Robert and Mary Sisk Simpson.

Services were Tuesday, Dec. 4 at the chapel of Boyd Funeral Directors in Salem with Bro. Nick Forsythe officiating. Burial was at Scott's Chapel Cemetery.

Crayne

Charles Crayne, 84, of Fredonia died Friday, Nov. 23, 2012 at his home.

He was a retired farmer, a self-employed contractor, a U.S. Army veteran, a member of Shady Grove Masonic Lodge and Shady Grove Order of the Eastern Star and was a Kentucky Colonel.

Surviving are his wife of 54 years, Pat Morgan Crayne of Fredonia; three sons, Mike Crayne of Princeton, Morgan Crayne and wife Britta of Eddyville; four daughters, Terri Brown and husband Terry of Franklin, Ky., TaJuana Davis and husband Terry of Princeton, Pam Hudson and husband Stan of Princeton and Angie Wood and husband Ronald of Princeton; 14 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a sister, Sara Eison of Madisonville.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Roy Franklin and Myrtle Brown Crayne.

Services Tuesday Nov. 27 at Morgan's Funeral Home in Princeton with Rev. Terry Davis, Bro. Gerald Cannon and Bro. Randy Meeks officiating. Burial was at Piney Fork Cemetery in Crittenden County.

Authorities think Croft had heart attack before she crashed car Monday

STAFF REPORT

Livingston County authorities say Mildred L. Croft, 88, of Salem was found deceased late Tuesday morning in her car, which had wrecked in a ditch on Ditney Road about a mile from her home the night before.

Police had started looking for Croft and asking for the public's assistance in finding her Tuesday morning.

She had left her home in a Mercury Sable about 6:30 p.m., Monday night and had not been seen before the wrecked car was located Tuesday. Friends told au-

thorities that she seldom drove at night.

Croft was found insde her car, which had crashed into a 20-foot deep ditch.

Investigators did not believe Croft died from injuries sustained in the accident.

The Livingston County coroner told local news agencies Croft appeared to have suffered a massive heart attack prior to the wreck.

The coroner ruled the death unrelated to the traffic accident.

An obituary for Croft was not available at press time.

New signs going up for I-69

Kentucky Transportation Cabinet is continuing to install update signage along 38 miles of new Interstate 69 through Lyon, Caldwell and Hopkins counties.

Sign installation work prompted highway officials to remind motorists to continue to use old signs and mile points while the work continues.

Before the updated I-69 signage can go into use, the contractor must remove trees and brush that now block the view of some of the new signs. In some cases, the old signs will block the view of newly installed sign.

Sign work is the final phase of \$9.9 million in upgrades for 2012 aimed at meeting current Interstate highway standards along the 38 mile section. The work included reconstruction of a ramp at the I-69/West Kentucky Parkway Interchange with Interstate 24 in Lyon County.

"We want the public to be aware that they should continue to use the old mile markers to report traffic

crashes and other emergencies," said Transportation Cabinet spokesman Keith Todd.

Todd said it may be a challenge for motorists and 911 emergency centers as points on the interstate are renamed and reorganized under the new signage. The state anticipates the old signs will be removed by sometime around Christmas.

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RUNNING

Foursome runs marathon

A group of four women completed the St. Jude's Marathon Saturday at Memphis. Those competing were (pictured from left above) Angela Starnes, Ann Newcom, Tonia Courtney and Robin Curnel. Starnes ran the 26.2 miles in 4:52:11 and finished in 1,483rd out of almost 3,000 entries. Newcom was 1,485th in 4:52:12. Courtney finished in 5:46:43 for 2,313rd place and Curnel was 2,527th in 6:21:39.

FOOTBALL

Caldwell County No. 2

Caldwell County's football team came up second short of a Class 2A state championship Saturday. The Tigers, seeking their second championship in school history, lost 30-26 to Newport Central Catholic on a touchdown pass with 26 seconds to play. Caldwell's sophomore quarterback Elijah Sindelar threw for two touchdowns and ran for another.

BASKETBALL

CCMS game results

7th Boys - Dawson 35, Crittenden 19
Scoring: L.Belt 6, Towery 5, Brooks 3, C. Belt 2, Castiller 2, Gilbert 1, Croft.
8th Boys - Dawson 35, Crittenden 30
Scoring: Tolley 9, Robinson 8, Myers 7, Morris 4, Stephens 2.
7th Boys - Caldwell 61, Crittenden 5
Scoring: Brooks 2, Towery 2, Croft 1.
8th Boys - Caldwell 34, Crittenden 26
Myers 10, Morris 8, Robinson 4, Riley 2, Stephens 1 Tolley 1.
7th Boys - Trigg County 39, Crittenden 12
Brooks 5, Croft 4, L. Belt 4.
8th Boys - Trigg 38, Crittenden 36
Robinson 10, Morris 6, Myers 6, Riley 5, Tolley 5, Stephens 4.
8th Boys - Crittenden 48, St. Ann's 8
Morris 13, Robinson 12, Myers 9, Riley 8, Rodgers 3, Stephens 2, Brown 1.
8th Girls - Crittenden 34, St. Ann's 24
Pierce 2, Moss 15, Evans 4, Nesbitt 8, Lynch 5.
7th Girls - Crittenden 33, Union 25
Maury Collins 8, Kenlee Perryman 8, Madison O'Dell 3, Madison Champion 10, Shelby Summers 4.
8th Girls - Union Co. 23, Crittenden 22
Pierce 5, Moss 2, Lynch 4, Evans 7, Nesbitt 3, Beverly 1.

OUTDOORS

LBL campsite deadlines

Land Between the Lakes (LBL) National Recreation Area is now accepting applications for the 2013 seasonal camping program. There are a total of 113 campsites in the seasonal camping program available for two to nine months at Hillman Ferry, Piney and Wranglers campgrounds. Other campgrounds have fewer spots. Completed applications must be turned in by Jan. 4. Selection process will be held Jan. 12 for sites in Hillman Ferry and Piney campgrounds. Deadline for Wranglers, Fenton, Cravens Bay, Taylor Bay and Redd Hollow campgrounds is Jan. 11. Selection process is Jan. 19. Visit online www.lbl.org or call 924-2044 for more information.

Hunting seasons

Groundhog	Year Round
Coyote	Year Round
Raccoon Hunting	Oct. 1 - Feb. 28
Dove	Dec. 29 - Jan. 4
American Woodcock	Nov. 1 - Dec. 15
Sandhill Crane	Dec. 15 - Jan. 13
Archery Deer	Sept. 1 - Jan. 21
Archery Turkey	Sept. 1 - Jan. 21
Raccoon Trapping	Nov. 12 - Feb. 28
Quail and Rabbit	Nov. 12 - Feb. 10
Crossbow Deer	Nov. 10 - Dec. 31
Crossbow Turkey	Nov. 10 - Dec. 31
Squirrel	Nov. 12 - Feb. 28
Canada Goose	Nov. 22 - Jan. 31
Pennyrile Goose	Nov. 22 - Jan. 31
White-fronted Goose	Nov. 22 - Jan. 31
Snow Goose	Nov. 22 - Jan. 31
Bobcat	Nov. 24 - Feb. 28
Shotgun Turkey	Dec. 1-7
Duck	Dec. 3 - Jan. 27
Muzzleloader	Dec. 8-16
Free Youth Deer	Dec. 29-30
Crow	Jan. 4 - Feb. 28
Snow Goose	Feb. 1 - March 31
Youth Waterfowl	Feb. 2-3

Rockets can't stop Trigg's guard

Nance pours in 30 points

STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County lost its first district game of the season Friday at Trigg County, but has a chance to even its record in the league when Lyon County comes to Rocket Arena this Friday.

Lyon County beat Livingston Central last week 76-65 at Eddyville. That was no particular surprise for Fifth District observers because Livingston lost nearly everything from last year, including its coach, and is rebuilding. Meanwhile, Lyon County's lineup has been bolstered by the Thomas Scott's transfer from Crittenden to the Lyons.

Lyon County is now 2-2 after losing to Fort Campbell Tuesday. The Lyons have beaten Dawson Springs and lost to St. Mary. Lyon was 18-12 last year and returns several key players.

Scott, a 6-foot-5 senior forward, scored a team-high 20 points against Livingston Central. He's averaging a dozen points a game. The Lyons have been balanced in scoring with several players notching double-figure outings early this season. Junior center Zach Polston has been the most consistent, averaging 13 points per game; however Jericho Wilkerson, Tyler Martin and Jordan Gary have each scored in double figures at least once this season.

Against Trigg County last week, Crittenden was un-

able to stop senior guard Deonquez Nance. He scored 17 in the first half and finished with 30 points.

The Rockets, although quicker this season, were no match for Nance's quickness and athletic ability. Although the Rockets have better size inside they were unable to parlay that into a meaningful advantage. Still, Trigg's lead was in jeopardy in the third period.

Rocket Bobby Knox scored an old-fashioned three-point play to trim Trigg's margin to five, 42-37, but the Wildcats bombed threes on the next two trips down the floor and Crittenden never managed to threaten again. Trigg improved to 2-0 and 1-0 in the district with the victory.

On Tuesday night, the Rockets outgunned Caldwell County 52-43. Aaron Owen turned in a team-high 20 points, scoring inside the paint and outside the arch, on fast breaks and in a patient offensive set. The Rockets took off early but the Tigers tied the score at 16 just before the half.

Owen and Ethan Hill combined for 15 of the Rockets' 17 third-quarter points, helping to create a double-digit lead that it held until late in the final frame.

Trigg County 69, Crittenden 53
Crittenden County 7 11 19 16
Trigg County 16 17 15 21
CRITTENDEN - Owen 15, Dickerson 3 Hill 8, Champion 1, Knox 16, Clark 9, Cozart 1, Young, Hicks, Gilbert,



Rockets (from left) Bobby Knox, Devin Clark, Tucker Frazer and Travis Gilbert (14) gang up on this Trigg shooter to no avail during Friday's loss at Cadiz.

Frazer, . Field Goals 20-51, 3-pointers 3-16 (Owen 2, Hill 1), Free Throws 10-22. Fouls 19. Rebounds 44 (Knox 13). Assists 6 (Owen 3)
TRIGG COUNTY - Dec.Nance 30, Gardner 17, Murphy 8, Estes 9, Wease 4, Radford 1, Dem.Nance, Allen, Mayes, Mabry, Acree. Field Goals 25-58, 3-pointers 5-18 (Dec. Nance 1, Gardner 2, Murphy 2) Free Throws 14-24. Fouls 20. Rebounds 32 (Dec. Nance 7). Assists 13 (Dec. Nance 3, Estes 3, Wease 3).

Crittenden 60, Dawson Springs 31
Dawson Springs 2 29 0 11

Crittenden County 19 41 0 14
CRITTENDEN - Owen 16, Young 6, Hill 4, Hicks 2, Gilbert 3, Champion 2, Tinsley 6, Knox 10, D. Watson 3, Clark 4, Cozart 4, Dickerson, Frazer. Field Goals 21-59, 3-pointers 2-13 (Young 2), Free Throws 16-34. Fouls 18. Rebounds 48 (Knox 9), Assists 4 (Hill 2, Clark 2).
DAWSON SPRINGS - Simpson 3, Smiley 4, Chapple 10, Fambrough 2, Stevens 11, B. Puckett 1, T. Adams, TJ Puckett, Je.Adams, Dyer, Ja. Adams. Field Goals 9-35, 3-pointers 4-15 (Puckett 2, Stevens 2), Free Throws 9-14. Fouls 23. Rebounds 29 (Fam-

brough 6).

Caldwell 52 , Caldwell 43
Crittenden 10 25 42 52
Caldwell 5 19 26 43
CALDWELL - Tucker 11, Oliver 6,Stewart 3, McCarty 8, Pepper 7, Hopson 8, Haberlock, Gelmetti. Field Goals 12. 3-pointers 4 (Tucker 3, McCarty). Free Throws 7-11. Fouls 18.
CRITTENDEN - Hill 14, Owen 20, Knox 7, Clark 4, Frazer 2, Champion 1, Young 4, Gilbert, Cozart. Field Goals 18. 3-pointers 1 (Hill). Free Throws 13-19. Fouls 18.

Lady Rockets get leg up in district

STAFF REPORT

The Rocket girls' (2-2) cold shooting nearly cost them the game Friday at Trigg County after outplaying the Wildcats the entire way.

Crittenden led by a dozen in the first half, but lost its aim, letting Trigg cut the Lady Rocket margin to two points with four minutes to play after missing nine of its first 10 floor shots in the final period.

A combination of better shooting and Trigg turnovers down the stretch helped Crittenden win going away 51-34.

Eighth-grader Cassidy Moss scored six points in the final four minutes and Chelsea Oliver and Mallory McDowell added four apiece in the closing minutes.

Oliver, who struggled at times offensively, still found a way to lead the team in scoring with 15. Moss finished with a dozen and McDowell added 10.

The victory gave Crittenden an early start in the Fifth District race. Now, the Lady Rockets will host Lyon County - who was considered one of the preseason favorites - Friday night. However, the Lyons are now playing without star player Jill P'Pool, who suffered a season-ending knee injury last week.

Caldwell County revealed some weak spots in the Lady Rocket offense as it scored numerous points off turnovers in a 57-39 Lady Tiger victory on Tuesday.

The Lady Rockets were outscored 20-2 in the second period but matched Caldwell's scor-

ing the rest of the way.
"We got a little stagnant offensively in the second period," Crittenden coach Shannon Hodge said. "But if you take out the second quarter, we were right in there."

As the Lady Rockets regroup for Lyon, Hodge wants her team to focus on its strengths more consistently.

"We do things fundamentally well in spurts, but we need to do it more consistently," she said.

The Lady Rockets were led in scoring by senior Davana Head who scored 15.

Crittenden 51, Trigg County 34
Crittenden County 10 13 10 18
Trigg County 11 4 12 7
CRITTENDEN - McDowell 10, Binkley 4, Head 4, Collins 4, Oliver 15, C. Moss 12, K. Moss 2, Gobin. Field Goals 20/-0, 3-pointers 1-7 (C. Moss), Free Throws 10-24. Fouls 20. Rebounds 40 (Oliver 8). Assists 9 (McDowell 2, Binkley 2, Collins 2, Oliver 2).
TRIGG COUNTY - Mize 9, Mount 2, Martin 9, Lovedahl 8, Stallons 2, Russell 2, Wimblepuff 2. Field Goals 13-35, 3-pointers 0-5, Free Throws 8-18. Fouls 22. Rebounds 46 (Lovedahl 13).

Caldwell County 57, Crittenden 39
Crittenden County 10 12 23 39
Caldwell County 11 31 44 57
CALDWELL - Ames 8, Gilkey 10, Fralix 13, Gilland 2, Rodgers 3, Gilkey 2, Loomis 6, Mimms 1, Stone 12. Field Goals 25. 3-pointers none. Free Throws 7-13. Fouls 14 (technical Rodgers).
CRITTENDEN - McDowell 9, Binkley 1, Oliver 8, Head 15, Collins 2, C. Moss 4, K. moss, Johnson, Evans, Nesbitt. Field Goals 14. 3-pointers 1 (Head). Free Throws 8-12. Fouls 14.



Crittenden County's Khyla Moss reaches around a Trigg County shooter to block a shot during Friday's Fifth District win at Cadiz.



Third- and fourth-grade little league football cheerleaders during the fall season were (front from left) Aliyah Frutiger, Addy Kirby, Mallory Lynn, Hadlee Rich, Hannah Faughn, Ryleigh Tabor; (second row) Raina West, Kenlee McDaniel, Callie Brown, Taylor Stoner, Amanda Estes, Laurel Brown; (back) Kate Keller, Jaelyn Duncan, Allie Geary, Charity Conyer, Cameron Howard and Emma Williams.



Fifth- and sixth-grade little league football cheerleaders during the fall season were(front from left) Jaylin Blackburn, Cortne Curnel, Chloe Daniel, Ellie McGowan, Anzie Gobin, Kyron Hicks; (second row) Emma Stoner, Morgan Barnes, Hannah Bell, Kirsten DeBoe, Jenna Potter; (back) Shelby Brown, Jaycie Driver, Caitlyn Riley, Shea Martin, Daelynn Hardin and RheaVynn Tabor.



Jeff Ellis (right) greeted Dr. Richard Coffey, Director of the University of Kentucky Research and Education Center, following Coffey's presentation to the Crittenden County Extension Council. The recognition dinner was held last month at the Marion Ed-Tech Center.

Ellis re-elected as council president

Dr. Richard Coffey, director of the University of Kentucky Research and Education Center, gave a presentation to the Crittenden County Extension Council at a recognition dinner held Nov. 8 at the Marion Ed-Tech Center. Coffey explained the agricultural research taking place at the center located in Princeton along with the services it provides.

Jeff Ellis, president of the Crittenden County Extension Council, was elected to

another one-year term along with Stuart Collins, vice-president; and Cindy Davidson, secretary. Outgoing delegates on the council were recognized for their service.

The purpose of the County Extension Council is to help identify issues and opportunities that serve as a basis for the county Extension program's content and to ensure that a broad-base Extension program is available to all citizens.

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Reporting deadline is next week

We only have a few more days to certify wheat, rye or other fall seeded crops. If you have not certified your crop, please call the office as soon as possible to schedule a time to do so. We know we still have quite a few producers who have not reported their wheat and Dec. 15 is the deadline. This is the first year it has been required this early. Please make sure to report timely.

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•NAP is the Non-insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program. This program will insure at the catastrophic level your non-insurable crops such as mixed forage for hay, grass for grazing, fruits and vegetable, etc. The cost to cover each crop is \$250 with a maximum annual fee of \$750. If you have 10 non-insurable crops, it will still be \$750. If you have any non-insurable crops that you would be interested in carrying NAP coverage on or any questions, contact the office. The deadline to purchase coverage on alfalfa, clover, grass, millet and mixed forages is March 1. These policies can be for haying or grazing of the crop. There are other deadlines for other crops; however, these are the predominant NAP crops we see in our counties.

Crittenden third biggest harvest in state

Crittenden County HARVEST Figures by Year

1993.....	2,357
1994.....	1,826
1995.....	1,857
1996.....	2,065
1997.....	1,874
1998.....	2,728
1999.....	2,201
2000.....	2,597
2001.....	2,272
2002.....	2,695
2003.....	2,586
2004.....	3,032
2005.....	2,593
2006.....	3,085
2007.....	2,927
2008.....	2,707
2009.....	2,546
2010.....	2,952
2011.....	2,829
2012*	2,760

(* Through Dec. 4)

Hunters bagged a record number of deer during Kentucky's modern gun season, which ended Monday.

"The 92,737 deer reported taken is a new record, surpassing the previous record of 87,205 set in 2004," said Tina Brunjes, deer and elk program coordinator for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "That's what happens when you get good hunting weather all three weekends of the season. No rain, no snow. It's the first time that's happened since I came here in 2005."

Kentucky's deer herd is estimated to be more than 900,000.

"In some areas, our deer herd could sustain a larger doe harvest than what our hunters take each year," said Brunjes. "For example, in Zone 1 counties (including Crittenden), we encourage hunters to continue

to take antlerless deer during the rest of bow season, the late muzzleloader season and the free youth weekend."

This weekend starts the nine-day late muzzleloader season, which runs through Dec. 16.

Monthly harvest totals have set records in two of the three months since deer season opened Sept. 1, with the beginning of archery hunting.

Hunters telechecked 5,577 deer in September. For the first time, the September deer harvest exceeded 5,000 and set a harvest record for the third consecutive year.

In October, the deer harvest was the highest total since the 2009-10 season, but 4,435 deer short of the record harvest of 19,900 for the month, set during the 2001-02 season.

The total harvest for the month of November was also up by almost 10 percent.

At this point in the season the top 10 Kentucky counties in deer harvest are:

Owen.....	3,444
Pendleton.....	2,768
Crittenden	2,760
Graves.....	2,674
Christian.....	2,450
Shelby.....	2,252
Grant.....	2,075
Hardin.....	1,946
Boone.....	1,915
Breckinridge	1,901

Kentucky's all-time record deer harvest of 124,752, may be eclipsed, too.

"We have a really good chance if we get good weather for the late muzzleloader and free youth hunts," said Brunjes.

Last season, the combined harvest for the months of December and January was 15,617 deer.

Rabbit, quail seasons taking center stage for fall hunters

BY ART LANDER
KENTUCKY AFIELD

Now that rifle deer season has ended, many outdoors enthusiasts will turn their attention to rabbit and quail hunting.

"Rabbit numbers are up, and that doesn't surprise me, considering the ideal weather conditions we had in the spring and early summer," said Ben Robinson, small game biologist for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "We're already getting reports of good hunting."

Rabbit and quail seasons are now open statewide and continue through Feb. 10.

The eastern region of the state continues to lead all regions in the number of rabbits observed," said Robinson. "The mail carrier survey shows a six percent increase in the number of observed rabbits statewide between 2011 and 2012 which means there should be plenty of rabbits for harvest this fall."

Kentucky's profound drought, especially in the western third of the state, impacted both rabbit and quail breeding success from mid-to-late summer.

"Quail experienced good nesting conditions early on, but over time the effect of the drought likely had an impact," said Robinson. "The drought limited quail nesting cover and success, food availability (insects) and brood rearing cover."

The peak of quail nesting in Kentucky is June and July, which is a bit later than some adjacent states. Rain throughout the summer is important to quail because it provides more cover and better food sources.

"Adult quail need seeds, especially as the season progresses," said Robinson. "When chicks hatch they need insects, and in drier weather there are fewer insects."

Hunters should expect quail season to be similar to last year.

"Areas where there was adequate rainfall could experience good quail hunting this fall," said Robinson. "In western and central Kentucky look for forested areas that suffered damage during the 2009 ice storm, which should provide good cover

for quail. Forest edges near row crops fields could also be productive."

For more information on the upcoming rabbit and quail seasons, consult the current Kentucky Hunting and Trapping Guide, available wherever hunting licenses are sold. You may request one by calling 1-800-858-1549 or view a printable version on the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife webpage at fw.ky.gov.



Ty Willingham bagged his first buck this season in Crittenden County. It was a three-pointer. He is pictured here with his father, Brian Willingham.

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Scenes from the parade include (top photo) Santa and Mrs. Claus; (above) the winning float of the 2012 Christmas Parade was Coming Home for Christmas from Calvary Baptist Church, which depicted a father’s surprise return home from overseas; (far left) Avery and Easton White, with mom Holly, wave at the participants; (left) Mary Perryman, age nine, and Addie Thomas, age seven, examine the amount of candy they collected from the Christmas parade.



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TIMOTHY E. ARNETT, SR.; and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.; and
ARROW FINANCIAL SERVICES LLC ASSIGNEE OF HSBC CARD SERVICES, INC. DEFENDANTS
NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale entered in the Crittenden Circuit Court on October 1, 2012 I will on Friday, December 7, 2012, beginning at the hour of 10:00 a.m., prevailing time, at the Courthouse door in the City of Marion, Crittenden County, Kentucky, proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, the real estate (hereinafter described and all the right, title, and interest of the parties hereto, to-wit:)

Property Address:
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Tax ID Number:061-00-00-048.00

Two certain lots on the northwest side of Highway Ky. #70 in Crittenden County, Kentucky numbered and bounded as follows:

Lot #3 in the John Holloman property plat which is of record in Deed Book 92, Page 39, and said Lot #3 fronts on Ky. Highway #70 for 100 feet and runs back with east line being 243 feet and west line being 205 feet, and the north end of lot being 103 feet.

Lot #5 in the John Holloman property plat which is of record in

Deed Book 92, Page 39 and said Lot #5 fronts on Ky. Highway #70 for 100 feet and runs back with east line being 234 feet and west line being 277 feet and the north end of lot being 105 feet and 12 feet, and reference is made to the aforementioned John Holloman property plat for a more accurate description of Lot #3 and #5.

Also a certain lot or parcel of land, lying and being on the northwest side of Ky. Highway #70, a few hundred feet west of a point where Ky. Highway #70 intersects Ky. Highway #91, being Lot #4 in a plat known as the John Holloman property. For record of this plat, see Deed Book 92, Page 39, said lot is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the northwest side of Ky. Highway #70, corner to Lot #5; thence N 49 degrees 30 minutes E 100 feet to a stake, corner to Lot #3; thence with line of Lot #3 N 40 degrees 45 minutes W 205 feet to a stake, another corner to Lot #3 in J.E. Perry's line; thence S 18 degrees 15 minutes W 25 feet to a stake; thence S 71 degrees 15 minutes W 112 feet to a stake, corner to Lot #5; thence with Lot #5 S 47 degrees 30 minutes E 234 feet to the point of beginning.

LESS & EXCEPT that portion of the above described property conveyed to John R. Holloman and his wife, Mary A. Holloman, by George Hart, Jr., et ux by deed dated May 25, 1967 and recorded in Deed Book 104, at Page 377, Crittenden County Court Clerk's Office, and more particularly described as follows:

One certain lot on the northwest side of Ky. Highway #70 in Crittenden County, Kentucky, bounded and described as follows:

Lot #5 in the John Holloman property plat which is of record in Deed Book 92, Page 39 and said Lot #5 fronts on Ky. Highway #70 for 100 feet and runs back with east line being 234 feet and west line being 277 feet and the north end of lot being 105 feet and 12 feet, and reference is made to the aforementioned John Holloman property plat for a more accurate description of Lot #5.

One certain lot on the northwest side of Ky. Highway #70 in Crittenden County, Kentucky, bounded and described as follows:

Lot #2 in the John Holloman property plat which is of record in Deed Book 92, Page 39 and said Lot #2 fronts on Ky. Highway #70 for 100 feet and runs back with east line being 220 feet, and west line being 248 feet, and north end of lot being 68 feet and 38 feet, and reference is made to the aforementioned John Holloman property plat for more accurate description of Lot #2.

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2. The Purchaser shall be required to assume and pay any ad valorem taxes and all taxes assessed against said property by any City, State, County or any school district which are due and payable at any time during the year 2012 or thereafter. Said sale shall be made subject to:

a. All current year ad valorem real estate taxes not yet due and payable and all taxes due thereafter;

b. Easements, restrictions and stipulations of record affecting the Real Property;

c. Any assessments for public improvements properly levied against the Real Property;

e. Any right of redemption which

may be claimed by the United States arising under 28 U.S.C. Sec. 2410.

f. Any right of redemption that may exist in favor of the Defendant(s).

Said property shall be sold with the improvements thereon "as is" and cannot be divided.


Upon confirmation of the sale, and payment of the purchase price in full, the Master Commissioner is hereby ordered to issue a Deed conveying the interests of Plaintiff and all of the herein Defendant(s) Arrow Financial Services LLC Assignee of HSBC Card Services, Inc., Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., Timothy E. Arnett, Sr., in the subject Real Property to the successful purchaser.

In the event that a representative of the Plaintiff is not present at the sale, this Master Commissioner has been directed to withdraw the property form sale and remind it from the sale docket.

Plaintiff may submit a written bid via facsimile to the office of this Master Commissioner at any time prior to the day of the sale.

Dated this the ____ day of November, 2012.

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A pickup truck driven by Adam Sanders of Marion crashed head-on into a car driven by Kenneth Guess last week. Guess died in the wreck and his wife and Sanders were taken to Evansville hospitals.

Investigation continues into fatal crash

STAFF REPORT

Investigators say they're still collecting information about a fatal accident that occurred on U.S. 641 at the Marion City Limit last Wednesday, Nov. 28.

Kentucky State Police say 23-year-old Thomas Adam Sanders of Marion was driving an S-10 pickup when he crossed the center line and hit head-on a Buick LaSabre driven by Kenneth Euell Guess, 76, of Fredonia at about 3 p.m.

Guess was pronounced dead at the scene by Crittenden

County Coroner Brad Gilbert.

Guess, who lived in the Caldwell Springs community, was a retired farmer. (There had been no obituary released at press time).

A news release from state police said Sanders was northbound as he rounded a curve and crossed the center line, striking Guess' vehicle. Both vehicles came to rest in the southbound lane – the car was partially in the ditch.

Guess' wife, who was a passenger, 76-year-old Hazel D.

Guess, was flown from the scene to Deaconess Hospital in Evansville. Friends and relatives say she is improving.

Sanders was flown from the scene to St. Mary's Hospital in Evansville, where he is also improving.

Both Kenneth Guess and Hazel Guess were wearing seatbelts. Sanders was not wearing a seatbelt.

Several witnesses were interviewed by investigators.

The highway was closed for several hours following the ac-

cident while investigators collected information from the accident and crews cleaned up the site.

Trooper First Class Darron Holliman said Tuesday that his investigation is ongoing.

Also assisting at the scene were Sgt. Dean Patterson, Crittenden County Sheriff's Department, Crittenden County Rescue Squad, Crittenden County EMS, Crittenden County EMA, PHI Air Medical and the Crittenden County Coroner's office.

SIEMENS

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months after buying it.

Newcom said he learned about the sale of Invensys to Siemens Wednesday, Nov. 28, the same day Invensys officials told employees about the deal. Newcom is currently constructing two new buildings at the Invensys site and local governments have helped improve access to the highway. Together more than \$500,000 is being invested to develop the site for expansion.

"I'm not concerned," Newcom said. "I've been assured there was no reason to be concerned. I've been told to continue with what we're doing."

Crittenden County Judge-Executive Perry Newcom said he understands there might be some apprehension, which is understandable in such circumstances.

"I feel that Siemens had always been a good community partner when it had a presence here in the past. I look forward to continued expansion and growth of the Invensys Rail location here and hope that Siemens will not deviate from any current plans that are in progress," the county judge said.

"I also look forward to meeting with the leadership of Siemens and to establishing an open line of communication between them and all our community partners that will help ensure everyone's interests are understood and are met within the capabilities of all involved," Perry Newcom added. "I hope that one of the first items of business for the new ownership will be to communicate their intentions with all the employees of our local facility so that those employees will have a clear understanding of the overall plans for Siemens regarding



Although Marion's Invensys Rail plant has been sold to Siemens along with the company's entire railway division, local leaders say construction at the site will continue as planned. Local governments have installed a new access road behind the plant and Marion businessman John Newcom is constructing buildings for the plant to expand.

our local facility."

Jeremy Wheeler, director of the Crittenden County Economic Development Corporation, said the local group has had a great relationship with Invensys and looks forward to re-establishing a relationship with Siemens, which has been in the community before.

"We are available and look forward to working with Siemens," he said.

Invensys has used the economic development corporation's Marion Ed-Tech Center for a variety of training and employee development programs. Wheeler anticipates those will continue with the new

owner.

Construction at the manufacturing site will continue in earnest over the next few months, John Newcom said. One building has been framed and awaiting a roof and siding. Newcom said a second building between the one now under construction and the highway will start going up soon. It will be about half the size of the one framed at this point.

Newcom said if the weather cooperates he anticipates the manufacturer will be able to occupy the new buildings by about April.

Adult Ed offers GED prep courses

STAFF REPORT

Crittenden County's Adult Education Center is offering the Official Practice Test (OPT) for GED requirements on Tuesday, Dec. 11 and Thursday, Dec. 13.

"We want New Year's resolutions to come true," said Missy Myers, adult education coordinator.

She says that those resolutions can be made good by people who need to complete their GED.

"The GED is changing and

we are trying hard to reach out to the community so anyone who needs it will get their GED finished in 2013," Myers said.

The GED will double in price, will be all computer based and will be more challenging in 2014.

Crittenden County's Adult Education Center is one of the best in Kentucky. It currently ranks 15th out of all counties for helping students complete their GEDs.

The center's OPT test,

which is required before a student can take the GED, will be given at 8:30 a.m., to approximately 2 p.m., on Tuesday and from 2:30 p.m., to about 8 p.m., next Thursday.

If a student passes the OPT, he or she will be certified and registered for a January test date.

Call to register for the OPT at 965-9435. Livingston County residents may call 928-3777 to schedule testing in Smithland.

Mathematical holiday 12-12

STAFF REPORT

Mary Helen Hodges, a retired local math teacher, reminds us that next Wednesday, Dec. 12 is the last time for a very special numeric milestone.

The date will be 12-12-12. When Hodges was a school teacher she marked such "mathematical holidays" as she calls them with a party of sorts.

Hodges says this will be the last time for the trifecta, with all three digits the same.

"There is not a 13th month," she said.

Hodges says these "math holidays" have always provided a great opportunity to get students excited about numbers.



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SOLD

HOME w/GUEST APT...3 BR, 2 BA brick. Liv/Din. Comb w/ fireplace, laundry Rm., Den, kit w/appliances, lg. private patio, plus 2 BR, 1 BA guest apartment. vb

SALEM RANCH...3 BR, 2 BA brick home in Salem. dl

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